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Dried and Green Fruits,
Island and Creamery Butter,
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Hams and Bacon, Chicago, 14c
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Sugar, 22 lbs. for $1 00.
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New Season's Strawberry & Gooseberry Jam

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Car's Semolina, in 2 lb. Packages.
Pratt's Poultry Food, The Greatest Egg Producer.
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Brown's Duke of Cambridge.

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We are still at the same old stand and in the same business. Our stock can be relied upon as much as ever it could, and we're still treating our customers just as we have always done.

A. GREGG & SON,
Merchant Tailors, Yates Street.

Summer Suits to Order for $16

At R. J. MATTHEWS', Merchant Tailor, 101 Douglas St

[illegible] Suits made and trimmed from $10. Good Pants to order from $3.50. Call and examine these goods before buying elsewhere.

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MONEY TO LOAN on Victoria real estate, repayable either in easy monthly payments or in a straight sum. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

FOR SALE—200 acres at Alberni; $400 cash; balance at 6 per cent. for four years. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

DON'T FORGET TO GO TO SAMPSON to-night for something to read. Novels sold for half price and exchanged for 5 cents each.

$500 REWARD—To any one who can show that we employ Chinese or Japs in making our clothes—in any capacity. All orders are executed on the premises and under our personal supervision. Suits still $11.90; Pants, $2.90. Thomas & Grant, 61 Broad street. 1t

The Ladies of St. James' Church

AT HOME

ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 26th, in St. James' Hall.

Admission, Free. Sale of work. Strawberries and Cream, 15 cents. Tea and Cake, 10 cents. j22-3t

I. O. O. F. NOTICE.

The members of Victoria Lodge No. 1, I. O. O. F., are requested to attend the regular meeting of the lodge on Monday evening next, the 24th instant.

BUSINESS: Election of lodge physician.

FRED'K DAVEY,
Rec. and Per. Secretary.

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AUCTION

Dry Goods, Groceries, Etc.

TUESDAY, JUNE 25th, AT 11 A.M

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

I have been instructed by the mortgagees to sell on the premises lately occupied by **J. MERRIFIELD, Store Street, next to Telegraph Hotel, all his Stock-in-Trade of Dry Goods, Groceries, Etc.,** consisting of boots and shoes, oilskin coats and pants, blankets, trunks, men's clothing, felt hats, caps, gloves, mitts, over shirts, underwear, gum boots, etc.

WOMEN'S DRESS GOODS, prints, cashmeres, grey flannels, stockings, yarns, and a large assortment of notions too numerous to mention. Stationery, novels, etc.

LOT OF GROCERIES, tin and enamel ware, crockery, furniture, fixings.

A good upstanding bay driving horse, (perfectly quiet), spring wagon, single harness, 1 phaeton, 1 sulky, 1 pair of bob sleighs, etc.

Terms of sale, cash.

je22 G. BYRNES, Auctioneer.

NOTICE

ALL MEMBERS OF THE ORDER ..OF..

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Are cordially requested to assemble in Castle Hall, Broad Street, on SUNDAY, THE 23rd OF JUNE, at 1:30 o'clock p m. for the purpose of attending the ceremony of Decorating the Graves of our Departed Brethren. All Knights are urged to be present, and if possible to bring flowers, or leave them in any of the Fire Halls.

By order of Decoration Day Committee.

H. F. W. BEHNSEN,
Chairman.

E. E. LEASON,
Secretary.

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Dominion Day Celebration ..AT.. VANCOUVER.

SS. ISLANDER and CHARMER.

SS. CHARMER

Will leave Victoria on Sunday morning, June 30th, at 2 o'clock. MONDAY morning, July 1st, at 1 o'clock.

SS. ISLANDER

Will leave Victoria on SUNDAY morning, June 30th, at 9:30 o'clock.

Excursion tickets will be good to go on either of the above boats and to return up to and including Wednesday, July 3rd.

FARE FOR ROUND TRIP, . . . $1 50
CHILDREN UNDER 15 YRS. . . .75

JNO. IRVING, Manager.

—Trout flies, rods, etc., at Fox's.

DISSOLUTION IS EXPECTED

Irish Members Largely Responsible for the Defeat of the Government.

Curious Action of the Ministry Upon the Duke of Cambridge's Resignation.

London, June 22.—The Westminster Gazette says it is expected that the cabinet will decide to resume. Lord Rosebery dines with the Queen at Windsor to-night in accordance with a previous invitation and he will thus be able to tender his resignation.

The St. James Gazette remarks: "The fate of the ministry is bound up with decision of Mr. Campbell Bannerman, secretary of state for war, and strenuous efforts are being brought to induce him to reconsider his decision.

Advices from Kiel state that the fatigue which the empress underwent while attending a portion of the festivities yesterday resulted in increasing the delicate condition of her health. The French ironclads left at three o'clock this morning. The German ships which were taking part in the maneuvers put to sea at 7 o'clock this morning. Visitors are returning by thousands.

The Emperor William has expressed a desire to visit the United States cruiser New York. The cruiser will therefore remain at Kiel in order to afford the Emperor an opportunity of making a visit.

A dispatch from Toulon says the French battleship Redoubtable, 8,860 tons displacement, is ashore off Cape Sopelud and has signalled for assistance.

A dispatch to the Times from Havana says that the Madrid government is urging upon Campos the necessity of increasing the army of occupation before December.

The Duke of Westminster has addressed a reply to the memorial of the Armenians in America thanking them for their support. He adds that the adhesion of the great republic to the cause of suffering Armenia cannot surely be without great effect upon the Porte, all the more so as they are comparatively disinterested in questions affecting the balance of power in the east.

When the cabinet adjourned for lunch to-day no decision had been reached regarding dissolution. The impression prevails that nothing definite will be known until Monday next, when a statement will be made in the house of commons. It is asserted that the Irish members are largely responsible for the present situation. The basis for this assertion is their action compelling the chancellor of the exchequer, Sir William Harcourt, to rescind the vote for the erection of a statue to Oliver Cromwell, which seriously undermined the government. A Liberal organ, the Speaker, to-day describes the action of the Irish members as a "display of childish bitterness," and says the erection of a statue to Cromwell has no relation to his Irish policy. In many other ways, it is claimed, the Irish members helped to bring about the coming general election which they are so unprepared for and which, according to general opinion, will surely result in a return of the Unionists to power, and end the possibility of passing a home rule measure for a long time to come.

The true story of the determination of the Duke of Cambridge to resign the post of commander-in-chief of the British army, as announced in the commons yesterday by the secretary of state for war, Mr. Campbell Bannerman, throws no light upon the subject. There has long been a strong agitation against the Duke, and the government, acting on the principle of expediency, caused it to be known that it would materially assist the government if the Duke of Cambridge would tender his resignation. Consequently the Duke, not suspecting his offer would be accepted, sent in the papers to the Queen and the latter handed them to the government under the impression that they would be returned. The government, however, accepted the paper as a definite resignation and Mr. Campbell Bannerman made the announcement to the house, which was the last thing expected or desired by the Queen or the Duke of Cambridge.

The Pall Mall Gazette, referring to the efforts made to borrow money for China, says: "The hitch in the Chinese loan is due to the fact that before the Russo-Chinese arrangements had been effected a contract for a loan had been signed with leading London bankers, which placed £1,000,000 at the immediate disposal of China, and a bank was given the option of arranging the great loan which was to follow. Russia learned of the negotiations and brought her influence to bear to undo them. It is doubtful whether she will succeed, as the contract cannot be set aside with impunity.

The amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on balance to-day was [illegible].

The past week has been unusually dull at the theatres. Mr. George Alexander yesterday revived "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray" at St. James' theatre with Miss Millar as Mrs. Tanqueray. She was very successful at the Lyceum theatre. Sir Henry Irving, as Shylock, has been playing to a moderate business.

Beerbohm Tree has consented to lay the foundation stone of the new Grand theatre and Opera House which is being erected.

[illegible] steady, corn quiet, on passage, wheat and corn quiet but steady.

SPLIT APPEARS INEVITABLE

Disorganized Remnants of Canadian Toryism Approaching Their Doom.

The Receipt of Manitoba's Answer May Precipitate an Election.

Ottawa, June 22.—Haggart is sulking over the school question, being opposed to remedial legislation. He has not been in his seat for two days and did not attend the railway committee meeting yesterday. Montague is along with him, and both of them are said to be openly canvassing against the remedial bill.

Hon. Michael Adams told me to-day that the remedial bill would certainly be introduced and the government is face to face with a crisis.

The political situation here is greatly strained by the publication of private communications between the hierarchy of Quebec and the papacy. Bishop Gravel's letter has created a sensation and there is only one opinion here, that it raises a grave issue and seriously complicates a situation that was already critical enough for the government. As only one French Conservative voted against the government yesterday morning it is surmised that Haggart had to pledge himself to withdraw his opposition to remedial legislation before the Quebec Conservatives consented to remain all night and vote for him. At all events Haggart was in a bad temper all day yesterday and made it noticeable even in the chamber. A French Canadian member of parliament stated that Bowell told him that a remedial school law would be introduced in parliament as soon as the official answer of Manitoba was received. This document cannot arrive in Ottawa until next week. The statement attributed to the premier must, under the circumstances, be taken with a grain of salt.

C. N. Armstrong's latest railway scheme, yclept Atlantic and Lake Superior line, was thoroughly exposed and the government warned against countenancing it, but the finance minister was obdurate.

On the penitentiary estimates Sir Charles Tupper said he had heard the Patrons of Industry complain because the price of Kingston made twine was too low and was injuring the business of the Patron factory at Brantford.

It was announced in the house yesterday that the government is suing R. Rogers, of Clearwater, Man., for an amount owing by him for binder twine.

An order in council will probably be passed next week which recognizes as the Dominion flag the British red ensign with a maple leaf on the flag.

Hon. Mr. Dickey announced that city corps and artillery would be drilled this year. He gave an account of the progress of the work on the Esquimalt fortifications.

A bill amending the insurance act was considered and a resolution authorizing the payment of the Northwest government expenses in prosecutions for infractions of the liquor laws was passed. It was agreed that the government measures take precedence on Monday.

Sir Charles Tupper gives notice of a bill to amend the penitentiaries act and provide a uniform scale for officers, guards, etc., whereby a saving of $4,000 a year will be effected. Present appointees are not affected.

Messrs. Wakeham and Rathbone, international fishery commissioners, will commence their inquiry on the Pacific coast at the beginning of July.

George T. Baird, of Perth Centre, N. B., has been called to the senate in place of Hon. Mr. Odell, deceased.

The Dominion rifle matches have been fixed to commence August 20, instead of September 2.

GOLD IN CARIBOO.

The First Clean Up of the Cariboo Claim.

Vancouver, June 22.—J. M. Browning has been notified of the result of the first clean up this season on the Cariboo claim. The run was only 172 hours, during which time only 100 miners' inches were worked. The result of the clean up is 660 lbs 3 oz. gold, or at $18 per ounce, $14,310. The product will be sent down in bars and nuggets. The rich character of the gravel is indicated by the discovery of a nugget weighing 2½ ounces at a height of 100 feet above the bed-rocks. The find of gold has averaged about $2,000 per day of three shifts, the water supply throughout having been irregular and deficient. When the supply in Polley's lake is tapped and with a longer season much better results are expected.

Superintendent Hussey and provincial Constable Webster arrived here by the Cutch this morning with prisoner Smith. The latter was conveyed to the Westminster gaol.

Canadian News.

Winnipeg, June 22.—At a special meeting of the school board last night it was decided to erect two more school buildings to accommodate the rapidly increasing school population. These are in addition to replacing the large building recently burned.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

TO THE GLORY OF GERMANY.

The Closing Ceremonies of the Great Celebration—The Emperor's Speech.

At the Banquet Wilhelm Drains His Glass to All Friendly Nations.

Holtenau, June 21.—In concluding the ceremony of laying the stone the Emperor said: "As we this day with supreme satisfaction see approaching the fulfilment of the anticipations which the Empire attached to the creation of this waterway, suffering for the purpose of the naval and commercial fleets, it is a matter of especial rejoicing that it is surrounded by an illustrious circle of our high allies. In the presence of the representatives of the nation and with the thankworthy participation of the envoys of the foreign powers, whose squadrons we bid welcome to our first naval harbor, now thrown open to them in all hospitality, we are enabled to hand over this waterway to traffic. Even as we regard it as the foremost duty of our imperial office, devolving on us from our fathers, to ensure the preservation of peace and the possessions gained by the German races in the domain of national prosperity, liberty and culture, so also we hold fast to the endeavor to provide a free course for the labor of the fatherland in the hot race of competition and protection from the dangers of its calling. But, not only is the canal a profit to the fatherland in its trade, navigation and defensive power, but we place it at the service of the world's commerce, throwing open ungrudgingly to all seafaring people a share in its advantages. May it be a work of peace and through all time serve only in the rivalry of nations for the benefits of peace. At the same time we wish a memorial to the opening of this new channel of intercourse to be erected, and we desire by this memorial to renew a portion of the thanks which the German people owe to the great Emperor, who, 25 years ago, united the German races in eternal bonds and with wise foresight began the work now completed. May the rich blessing which attended the rule of the Emperor of undying memory rest upon this work."

As the Emperor, Empress and young princes, the kings and grand dukes, stood in their places on the dais they formed an eminently picturesque group. The scene presented was remarkably effective and one not easily to be forgotten. The actual ceremony for the great mass of onlookers was a mystery, and outside of the inner circles not one of Prince Hohenlohe's words was audible. When the set of coins was placed in the stone, the Emperor, Empress and other important personages, bareheaded, tapped the stone three times, in accordance with German tradition, the massed bands playing different airs as the various persons touched the stone, and all the warships giving a royal salute as the Emperor sounded the first tap. The whole ceremony lasted exactly half an hour. The Emperor and the imperial party as well as all the foreign officers and other distinguished personages then returned to their respective ships amid renewed cheering. Meanwhile the stone was built in with bricks by the master builders of the canal, the people pressing in while the work was going on and eagerly seizing scraps of brick and mortar as souvenirs.

The review of the fleet began at three o'clock. The imperial yacht Hohenzollern, with the imperial family, kings, grand dukes, princes and mayors of the chief cities, etc., on board, left her moorings, and at the same moment the crews of all the vessels in the harbor manned the yards or the rails to their full strength. The Hohenzollern proceeded slowly down the line, the Emperor in an admiral's uniform standing alone on the bridge. The crews of all the craft in the harbor greeted His Majesty with loud cheers and the bands played "Heil dir Hiegerkranz."

The great banquet which wound up the ceremonies took place this evening in the structure representing the old German warship Niobe. About one thousand guests participated in the entertainment, including the diplomatic representatives of the various nations. The banquet hall was a fac simile of a huge vessel of ancient construction as in vogue in the seventeenth century. The whole structure was 413 feet long and 132 feet wide. The banquet hall itself measured 334 feet by 67 feet. The table arrangement was entrusted to a Berlin caterer, who received $25 a plate, which sum included wines, service and transportation. During the whole of the festivities the orchestra of the second German naval division furnished music.

The French Admiral Menard sat at the Emperor's right hand, and the Russian Admiral Skrydloff sat on his left. At the conclusion of the banquet the Emperor said: "It is with delight and pride that I look around this brilliant festal gathering, and in the name of my high allies bid you all, guests of the Empire, heartily welcome. We express our heartfelt thanks for the good feeling shown towards us on the completion of the work which was planned in peace and in peace achieved, and to-day opened to general traffic. It was not in our day that the idea of uniting the North Sea to the Baltic by a canal was first mooted. Far back in the middle ages we find proposals and plans to carry out this undertaking and in the last century the Eider canal was built, bearing glorious testimony to the productive power of that age. But it was only intended for small vessels and did not suffice for present needs. It was reserved for the newly created German Empire to complete the great task. My ever lamented grandfather, William the Great, it was who rightly perceiving the importance of the canal for the advancement of the national prosperity and the strengthening of our defensive power, was indefatigable in giving his assistance to promoting the plans of building a thoroughly serviceable waterway and removing the manifold difficulties in the way of its completion. With pleasure and full confidence the federal government and the reichstag followed the imperial initiative and vigorously applied eight years to the work, which as it advanced towards completion constantly excited public interest in a greater degree. Everything that technical science in its highest development was able to create, everything that zeal and pressure could do, everything that solicitude for the workmen engaged in the construction, in accordance with the humane social policy of our Empire, could demand, was given to this work. The fatherland therefore may rejoice with me and with my high allies over a successful work accomplished. We have not, however, labored for our own home interests alone; in conformity with the great civilization mission of the German people we open to the peaceful intercourse of the nations one with another the locks of this canal, and it will be a source of joyful satisfaction to us if constant utilization shall bear witness that the intentions by which we have been guided have not alone been understood, but have also proved fruitful in advancing the welfare of the people. The participation in our fetes of the powers whose representatives we see amongst us and whose splendid ships we to-day admired I acknowledge the more readily as I believe I am right in perceiving therein the complete vindication of the efforts which have been directed towards the maintenance of peace. Germany will range the work inaugurated to-day on the side of those accomplished in the service of peace and will esteem herself fortunate if the canal, in this sense, further strengthens our friendly relations with the other powers. I drain my glass to the welfare of the friendly powers."

Kiel, June 21.—At a dinner yesterday on board the Kaiser Wilhelm II, Chancellor Hohenlohe expressed the pleasure he felt that Emperor William had written a complimentary letter to Dr. Karl von Boetticher, Prussian minister of the interior, adding: "This honor has filled my heart with joy." Dr. von Boetticher, rising to reply, was deeply moved. He said that he was deeply impressed by the appreciative remarks of his chief. He would continue faithfully to fill his duties as long as the Emperor wished.

After the review the Emperor donned the uniform of a British admiral and visited the Royal Sovereign, the British flagship, where he was received by the two admirals and the captains of the British fleet and a brilliant assemblage of royal and illustrious personages. The British and German flags were hoisted and a salute fired both upon his coming and departure. The Emperor remained an hour and minutely inspected every portion of the ship. He takes the German fleet to sea in the morning for a series of evolutions. He seems indeed to be ubiquitous and indefatigable, and the men of less heroic mould whose duty it is to follow and describe his movements may be pardoned for expressing the wish that they were endowed with the same marvellous powers of endurance. He also visited Lord Brassey on board the yacht Sunbeam after leaving the Royal Sovereign.

Most of the large vessels scraped the ground several times on the passage through the canal, some of them remaining fast for a considerable time.

A SKY-SCRAPING TOWER.

Philadelphia's City Hall and Its Great Dimensions.

When the tower is really completed, and the realization of that long-cherished hope seems not far distant, it will measure from the crown of Penn's hat to the base of the tower 547 feet and 3½ inches.

There are, perhaps, a good many who do not know that our city hall is the largest single building on this continent. Its dimensions are 470 feet from east to west, and 486½ feet from north to south, covering an area, exclusive of the big court yard, about 4½ acres. It will contain when completed 520 rooms. The court yard is two hundred feet square, and the walls which enclose it are 22 feet in thickness at the base, and are laid on foundations which descend 20 feet below the surface. Some of the blocks of granite in the base of the tower weigh from two to five tons.

The clock story of the tower is completed, except the encasement. It stands almost 70 feet high and is 70 feet wide on each of its four sides. Each clock dial will be 23 feet in diameter. The clock story is, like the stories above it, constructed of a skeleton of wrought iron, forming the story's sides.

The plan to make the entire dome of the tower of aluminum seems to have been abandoned. The present dome, the workmen said, is of iron, and the iron plates have been only coated first with bronze and then with aluminum. It was intended to use aluminum because of the lightness of that metal, as well as its immunity from corrosion. As it is only one-quarter the weight of iron and one-third the weight of bronze, the weight of the dome would have been two hundred tons less than the weight estimated in cast iron.—Philadelphia Ledger.

None But Ayer's at the World's Fair.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla enjoys the extraordinary distinction of having been the only blood purifier allowed an exhibit at the World's fair, Chicago. Manufacturers of other sarsaparillas sought by every means to obtain a showing of their goods, but they were all turned away under the application of the rule forbidding the entry of patent medicines and nostrums. The decision of the World's fair authorities in favor of Ayer's Sarsaparilla was in effect as follows: "Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a patent medicine. It does not belong to the list of nostrums. It is here on its merits."

OUR OWN COUNTRY.

The Retrenchments in Newfoundland Unpopular—A Reporter's Accident.

St. Johns, Nfld., June 22.—Two of the retrenchment features of the government scheme will meet with general condemnation, namely, the reduction of the educational grant by $44,000 and the abolition of the fisheries commission, involving a reduction of $20,000. The former is a public calamity. The educational grant never exceeded 75 cents per head of the population, and is now only fifty cents. The government could easily keep the grant at the former figure by discharging useless officials, but not one dismissal has bene made. The fishery commission maintained the hatchery and stocked the coast with young cod, lobsters, salmon, trout, etc. It did a praiseworthy work. The assembly is pushing the business dealing with the financial question daily. The opposition show many rotten features in the retrenchment programme.

Toronto, June 21.—Charles T. Long, a reporter of the Mail and Empire, met with a very serious accident to-day. He attempted to leap on board an island steamer which was moving out of the deck, when he fell across the deck railing and then into the water. He now lies unconscious and it is thought his spine is broken.

Toronto, June 21.—Cecil A. Mahoney, the two and a half year old daughter of Michael Mahoney, of the Dodge Pulley Co., Toronto, was instantly killed by an electric car not provided with a fender.

Chatham, June 21.—John Bellair, 35 years old, while shovelling grain in the mill to-day got in the bin, was carried by the grain through the chute and suffocated.

London, Ont., June 21.—William David Welter, who was hanged with John Hendershott, made a confession of his guilt other than the secret one made to Rev. D. Spencer. He told Turnkey Edward Langan, just before his execution, that he alone committed the murder in the woods, but that John Hendershott, though not present, planned it. Welter says he struck his victim over the back of the head with an axe and felled him to the ground; that Hendershott staggered to his feet and started to run, and he, picking up a wedge, followed and repeatedly struck him over the head with it. The wedge, he said, he afterwards buried in the ground, which accounts for its non-appearance.

Winnipeg, June 21.—Premier Greenway expects to leave for England shortly on a trip for the benefit of his health.

Farr, the C. P. R. engineer, was arraigned at the police court for trial this morning, but on application of the defence the hearing was postponed until to-morow. When Farr was brought into the room, he stood for a minute and gazed steadily at the young woman mixed up in the case, without a tremor or the slightest indication of agitation. The moment Miss Robinson returned his gaze her eyes filled with tears, and with a half suppressed sob she covered her face with her gloved hands and silently wept. Once she nearly fainted in her chair, but Chief McRae quickly brought a glass of water, which revived her. Farr was seated directly opposite Miss Robinson, and during the ten minutes the proceedings lasted never took his eyes off her.

Fred Hopwood, aged 22, a school teacher, was drowned in Pelican lake last night while bathing.

London, Ont., June 21.—At to-day's diocesan synod of Huron (Anglican), Rev. Dr. Beaumont, of London, moved a strongly worded resolution declaring against federal interference with the Manitoba schools and denouncing separate schools as pernicious. The motion was greeted with cries of "withdraw," and as Beaumont found no seconder, he reluctantly did so.

Weak, Tired, Nervous

Women, who seem to be all worn out, will find in purified blood, made rich and healthy by Hood's Sarsaparilla, permanent relief and strength. The following is from a well known nurse:

"I have suffered for years with female complaints and kidney troubles and I have had a great deal of medical advice during that time, but have received little or no benefit. A friend advised me to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and I began to use it, together with Hood's Pills. I have realized more benefit from these medicines than from anything else I have ever taken. From my personal experience I believe Hood's Sarsaparilla to be a most complete blood purifier." Mrs. C. Crompton, 71 Cumberland St., Toronto, Ontario.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Is the Only True Blood Purifier

Prominently in the public eye today.

Hood's Pills easy to buy, easy to take, easy in effect. 25c.

AMUSEMENTS.

Grand Excursion

And Basket Picnic to Shawnigan Lake,
THURSDAY, JULY 4th.
DEGREE OF HONOR, A. O. U. W.

Fishing, boating, children's prizes and dancing. Richardson's String Orchestra in attendance. Refreshments will be served on the grounds. Train leaves Victoria E. & N. Railway Station at 8 and 10 o'clock a.m. Trains leave Shawnigan at 7:30 and 11 o'clock p.m. Return fare, 75c.; children under 12, 50c.; under 5, free. Tickets from J. D. Warren, 6 Trounce Ave., and Committee. The public are cordially invited. je21-td

A PUBLIC CONCERT

Will be given by the

ARION CLUB,

IN AID OF CHARITY.

On Wednesday, 26th June, 1895,

At 8 o'clock p.m.

AT THE INSTITUTE HALL, VIEW ST.

Admission 50c. je20-6t

STANLEY PARK ...RACES

Under the distinguished patronage of His Honor Lieut.-Governor Dewdney.

Wednesday, July 3rd.

SIX RACES! SIX RACES!

FIRST RACE—Half mile heats, 2 in 3, sweepstakes on $10 each; $30 added; 2nd horse to save his entrance. Weights, 150 lbs. Gentlemen riders.

SECOND RACE—1 1-2 mile Steeplechase; open to polo ponies 14 1-2 hands high. 140 lbs. 1st prize a cup; 2nd prize a cup.

THIRD RACE—Half mile heats, 3 in 5, to harness; open to all two year olds. Sweepstakes of $25 each; $50 added. 1st payment of $10 due June 22nd at 9 p.m. 2nd payment of $15, night before the race.

FOURTH RACE—For named horses. For a cup or money $70. Horses to be named Saturday.

FIFTH RACE—5-8 of mile dash; open weight for age. Sweepstakes of $10 each, with $30 added. 2nd horse saves entrance money.

SIXTH RACE—1 3-4 steeplchase; gentlemen hunters. Gentlemen riders. 1st prize a cup; 2nd prize a cup.

CONDITIONS—1st Race—Sweepstake of $10 each, with $30 added. Second horse to save entrance money. Weights 150 lbs. Gentlemen riders.

2nd Race—Open to polo ponies 14 1-2 hands high; weights 140; entrance $3.

3rd Race—Half mile heats, to harness; open to all two year olds; sweepstake, $25 each, $50 added; divided as follows: 60, 30 and 10 per cent. if four or more starters; if only three starters 70 and 30 per cent. First payment, $10, due Saturday, 22nd June at 9 p.m.

4th Race—Named race; mile heats, 3 in 5 to harness. Open to Traveller Wilkes, One-Eyed Johnny, Jack Simcoe, Canadian Boy, Billy Rooker, Storm, and other horses in that class. $50 purse; entrance fee, 10 per cent.

5th Race—5-8 mile dash. Open. Weight for age. Sweepstakes of $10 each, $30 added; second horse saves entrance fee.

6th Race—Mile and three-quarters steeplechase, for gentlemen riders; 2 prizes; entrance fee, $3.

Horses and riders must qualify for races, 1, 2 and 6, and entries to be made on or before July 1st, 6 p.m. No entries allowed after that day. Entrance money to accompany entry. Pools will be sold on the ground. Address

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In this age of rivalry one must not embark on the sea of uncertainty, but pick the artiste from the foremost ranks of the profession.

COME EARLY
AND AVOID THE RUSH.

Farmers' Picnic

SOUTH SAANICH.

The annual picnic will be held in the Agricultural Park on

MONDAY, 1ST JULY,

Beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. Lunch will be provided at 50c. Dancing and games; good music.

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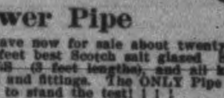

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TRADE AND FINANCE.

Reports of the Condition of Business from the Two Great Commercial Agencies

Show Large Increases in Canadian Bank Clearances and in Failures.

New York, June 21.—R. G. Dun's weekly review says: The failures for the week in Canada are 31 as against 25 for the same week of last year.

At the opening of the stock exchange prices were irregular, but generally lower on slight changes, except for gas. The market soon took upon itself a better tone and under good buying list fractional gains were made. At the higher figures sales to realize profits were made which brought about a reaction that was unimportant except that Bay State gas broke 3 per cent. and New England 1⅝ per cent. Before midday the depression was checked and there was a renewal of the buying, which caused figures again to move upward, the improving tendency continuing up to two o'clock, at which time an advance ranging up to 2⅛ per cent. had been made, New England, Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic, common and preferred, Tennessee coal and General Electric leading. Then came a break of 1 to 2 per cent. in which the Susquehanna and Western preferred, Manhattan, sugar, New Jersey Central, Northern Pacific preferred. Reading and Chicago gas were prominent. The market closed fairly steady. Closing prices: Atch., 10¼; C. B. & Q., 85⅝; Can. Pacf. blank; N. Y. C., blank; Can. Sou., 55¼; Lake Erie and W., blank; Lake Shore, 150¼; Nor. Pac., 4¼; do. pfd., 16; St. P. M & O., blank; Pac. Mail, 30½; C. M. & St. P., 68; Tex Pac., 13⅜; Union Pac., 12⅜; W. U., 92¼; sterling exchange, 60 days, 4.89; do. demand, 4.90; money, 1½; C. P. R. in London, 54⅜; do. in Montreal, 53¾; Com. Cable, 162.

Bradstreet's statement of trade tomorrow will say: In the province of Ontario general trade is quite active and prospects are satisfactory. In the province of Quebec business is slightly smaller in value and actual improvement is declared to be thus far sentimental. In New Brunswick and Nova Scotia crop conditions are fair, notwithstanding the dry weather, but in Newfoundland affairs are still very unsettled and the outlook is not encouraging. The trade report for Quebec city is rather more favorable than that from Montreal. Bank clearings at Winnipeg, Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal and Halifax amount to $22,332,000 this week, a falling off of only 1.5 per cent. from last week, but an increase of about 30 per cent. over the same week of 1894 and about 22 per cent. larger each than in like weeks of 1893 and 1892. There are 30 business failures reported from Canada this week against 21 last week, 24 in the week one year ago, 20 two years ago, and 26 three years ago.

Bradstreet's reports the following bank clearances for the week ending June 20 in the Dominion of Canada: Montreal, $13,220,049, increase, 30.0; Toronto, $6,338,403, increase, 27.5; Halifax, $1,202,184, increase, 27.5; Hamilton, $42,112, increase, 22.2; Winnipeg, $829,341; increase, 3.7; total, $22,332,089, increase, 29.5.

ANIMALS IN AN EARTHQUAKE.

How the Birds and Beasts Acted in a Seismic Disturbance.

An observer of animal life has collected, the Vienna correspondent of the London Daily News says, a number of notes upon the behavior of animals during the recent earthquake at Laibach. A railway guard observed that some minutes before the first shock was felt, his owl, chained to a tool-house, cried as if for help, and he was with it when the earthquake began. Some forest guards observed hares running, as if for their lives, up a hill before the first shock. Partridges flew a long distance. A gentleman who spent the night of Easter Sunday in a carriage saw the pigeons and hawks on a tower flying round it every time that a shock was near. Sparrows and redbreasts also fluttered about, and seemed to overcome their fear of men. The most excited of all were the horses. They trembled long before a shock occurred, and some fell on their knees and sides. The dogs howled the whole night. When a shock was near, their cries were so strange that they struck the ear as something not heard before.

AUCTION SALES.

JOSHUA DAVIES

AUCTIONEER

Will sell by auction, at the Naval Yard, Esquimalt, on

TUESDAY, 9TH JULY, 1895,

At 11 o'clock, a.m., precisely.

OLD NAVAL, VICTUALLING AND MEDICAL, ETC., STORES,

Comprising old iron and steel, chain cable, rope, lamps, tools, canvas, hose, bunting, china and glass, linen, biscuit, flour, clothing material, wooden casks, staves, cases, etc., etc.

The lots may be viewed the day prior to and morning of sale, and catalogues had in due time at the Naval Yard and at the auctioneer's, Victoria, B. C.

Purchasers must pay customs duties. Terms cash.

JOSHUA DAVIES, Auctioneer.

A RAZOR-BACK SHIP.

A New Sort of Vessel Designed by a Virginia Man.

Lying at a private wharf in Alexandria, Virginia, is a very remarkable ship. She is the first of a new type of vessel intended to revolutionize the ocean carrying trade. If the hopes of Mr. Fryer, the designer and builder of the ship, are realized, passengers will cross the Atlantic in three-fifths of the time now occupied by the "ocean greyhounds" of commerce.

Mr. Fryer has sought to apply the palace-car idea to ocean travel. He has built a ship which while 222 feet long is only 16 feet beam. Its equilibrium is to be maintained by the heavy keel and by the 80,000 pounds of machinery below the water-line. The narrow prow of such a vessel will cut the water like a knife. Resistance will be reduced to a minimum. The heavy compact machinery will furnish ample power for the single screw, and the little razor-back vessel will cleave through the water at a rate of speed which will seem incredible at first. All of this, of course, if Mr. Fryer's hopes are realized. The vessel is to have a practical test in the lower Potomac river in a short time. Then the Howard Cassard, as the new ship is called, will be taken to New York. She is exepected to go to New York in June.

The ship now approaching completion at Alexandria is built to four-tenths the scale of the full-sized ship. The trans-Atlantic liner of this model will be 555 feet long, and she will be 40 feet beam. Measure 40 feet on a level piece of ground and you will get some idea how narrow the new ship will be. And from a greatest breadth of 40 feet she will taper to almost nothing.

Of course, with such a vessel the carrying of freight would be out of the question. There is a main-deck, a cabin-deck, and the hold. And the hold is quite filled with machinery. The upper deck is only a promenade, and the cabin-deck is so narrow that there is not space between the walls of the ship for even so luxurious a cabin as some private yachts contain. Such a thing as a general cabin would be out of the question. This narrow space has been utilized in part by the contruction of single state-rooms on each side, a narrow isle runnig down the middle of the ship. The remaining space is to be divided up like a sleeping-car. Adjustable berths, upper and lower, will be concealed during the day, and each "section" will be supplied with handsomely upholstered seats. In these sections meals will be served from a galley in the hold, on small tables, just as they are served in a buffet-car. There will be a toilet-room for men at one end of the ship, and a toilet-room for women at the other. When night comes the seats in the sections will be transformed into beds, the upper berths will be let down if they are needed, and each section will be screened from the aisle by portieres. In running to tropical countries the new vessels will carry a certain quantity of fine fruit, and two of these section spaces will be given up to refrigerators.—Harper's Weekly.

—In cases where dandruff, scalp diseases, falling and grayness of the hair appear, do not neglect them, but apply a proper remedy and tonic like Hall's Hair Renewer.

DANGERS OF TRAVEL IN THIBET.

A French Traveller's Account of Disagreeable Experiences.

M. Grenart, the French traveller, has sent to the Turkestan Gazette a graphic account of his disastrous experiences in Thibet. He denies the assertion of the Swedish traveller, M. Sven Hedin, that he deserted his companion, M. Dutreuil de Rhins, at the moment of danger and left him wounded in the hands of the Thibetans. He says that the trouble with the Thibetans arose through M. Dutreuil de Rhins seizing two of their horses in reprisal for the theft of two of his own. The fighting began in a village, from the houses and windows of which the Thibetans kept up a well-sustained fire upon the French caravan, which was on a narrow road hemmed in by a stream. First a horse was killed, and then M. Dutreuil de Rhins was struck down, terribly wounded in the abdomen and vomiting blood. M. Grenart declares that he went at once to his help, and endeavored to staunch the wound, at the same time giving his men orders to let the two confiscated horses go at once. He hoped thus to appease the enraged Thibetans, but they soon resumed their attack, and when the French fire slackened for want of cartridges they rushed upon the caravan, put the porters and others to flight, and carried off M. Grenart, forcing him on with blows from the butt ends of their pikes. After passing through several villages, where the women and children threw stones at him, M. Grenart was taken to the Thibetan frontier and there released. He heard afterward that his unfortunate companion had been carried bound, wounded as he was, to the river and thrown into the water, the Thibetans hurling heavy stones at him until his body disappeared.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

—Baskets for picnics, baskets for shopping, knife baskets, work baskets and lots of other baskets, at Weilers'.

Caller—I wonder you are not afraid to let the baby play with that carving knife?

Fond Mamma—Oh, she can't hurt it; it's an old one.

A GRATEFUL MOTHER

RELATES HOW HER DAUGHTER'S LIFE WAS SAVED.

Anaemia and General Dibility Had Brought Her to the Verge of the Grave—Physicians Held Out no Hope of Recovery—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Again Prove a Life Saver.

From the Ottawa Free Press.

A personal paragraph in the Free Press some time ago simply stating that Miss Sophie Belanger, 428 Cooper street, Ottawa, had recovered from a serious illness caused by anaemia and general debility, has apparently awakened more than usual interest and pleasure among her relatives and acquaintances. So much so, indeed, that a reporter of the paper found it extremely interesting to visit the family and enjoy a chat with Mrs. Belanger on the recovery of her daughter after she had for two years been considered irrecoverably a victim of this terribly enervating and dangerous disease. Mrs. Belanger is a very intelligent French-Canadian, wife of Mr. Joseph Belanger, whose wall paper and paint and glass establishment is at 146 Band street. Miss Sophie Belanger, the whilom invalid, vascillating between life and death, is a promising young lady of seventeen years. She is a student under the nuns in St. Jean Baptiste school on

She lay on a couch like one dying.

Primrose Hill. Over two years ago she fell sick and rapidly wasted away. The nature of her disease appeared to be a profound mystery to the physicians as they were called in one after the other. Despair seized the family as they looked upon the once beautiful, spirited girl laying day in and day out, weeks and months on her couch, simply slowly vanishing and they powerless even to raise a smile to her wan lips. Each succeeding medical man gravely told the parents to prepare for the worst. However, Mrs. Belanger is not one of those women who give up in despair while there is still hope, as her own words will denote.

"It was a terrible time," she said. "We had been told again and again that nothing could be done to save Sophie, and had almost been forced by appearances to believe it. I have now to say that but for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills she would have been in her grave instead of attending school every day the liveliest of the lively. It began like this; the girl was coming to me three or four times a day explaining, "Oh, ma; I have such a terrible headache. I cannot stand the pain of it." This went on for a long time, weeks in fact, until we began to look at it in a very serious light. We had almost every French doctor in the city called in, but with no result. Sophie got worse and worse. Her face was small and yellow while her lips were as white as your collar. She was listless and apathetic, and so weak she could not raise her hand to her head. A leading doctor forced her to take a certain kind of powders, which seemed to be taking the flesh from her bones. Her skin became hot and parched, her eyes sank into her head and she lay on that couch as one dead, taking no interest whatever in things going on around her. Then it was we became confirmed to the popular belief that she was going to die. It was agonizing to look at her, but we became partially resigned to the fate that appeared to be overtaking us. She was watched day and night, but we could detect no change unless for the worse. All hope had gone. I had read of the cures by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and about this time I noticed a description published in the Free Press somewhat similar to Sophie's case. Something seemed to urge me to give them a trial, and now I thank God I did. I sent for some and began giving them to her one at a time. Before long we saw an improvement, and gradually increased the dose from one to two and then to three at regular intervals. It was incredible to note the change. Her color came back, a different look in her eyes, her general health and appearance gave us all new interest in her. Before the fourth box was gone Sophie was able to be up and around again, and a further use of them fully restored her health, or rather snatched her from the brink of the grave. To Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is due all the credit for we had stopped doctor's medicine, and simply gave her these, following the directions around the box. My daughter's life was saved by Pink Pills and no one knows better than her mother. I wish to tell everyone of the cure, as it is almost impossible to believe that the poor thing that lay there, and the happy rosy-cheeked girl who goes regularly to her classes are one and the same person in such a [illegible] short space of time, and you may be sure I am advising ailing neighbors to use this wonderful medicine."

Just as the reporter was leaving Miss Belanger returned from school. She was the picture of grace, health and beauty, her lithe physique denoting health in every movement, while her face showed the warm, ruddy glow of health. She corroborated all her mother had said besides adding some new testimony. Happiness now abideth in that home where misery held sway too long, and Mrs. Belanger rests her faith in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which will do for other weak and ailing girls what they did for her daughter.

—Byron used a great deal of hairdressing, but was particular to have only the best to be found in the market. If Ayer's Hair Vigor had been obtainable then, doubtless he would have tested its merits, as so many distinguished and fashionable people are doing now-a-days.

MIRTH AS A MEDICINE.

Fun and Rye Bread Better Than Titbits and Tedium.

Mirth has a hygienic value that can be hardly over-rated while our social life remains what the slavery of vices and dogmas has made it. Joy has been called the sunshine of the heart, yet the same sun that calls forth the flowers of a plant is also needed to expand its leaves and ripen its fruits; and without the stimulus of exhilirating pastimes, perfect bodily health is as impossible as moral and mental vigor. And, as sure as a succession of uniform crops will exhaust the best soil, the daily repetition of a monotonous occupation will wear out the best man. Body and mind require an occasional change of employment, or else a liberal supply of fertilising recreations, and this requirement is a factor whose omission often foils the arithmetic of our political economists. To the creatures of the wilderness affliction comes generally in the form of impending danger—famine or persistent persecution; and under such circumstances the modifications of the vital process seem to operate against its long continuance; well-wishing nature sees her purpose defeated, and the vital energy flags, the sap of life runs to seed. On the same principle an existence of joyless drudgery seems to drain the springs of health, even at an age when they can draw upon the largest inner resources; hope, too, often baffled, at last withdraws her aid; the tongue may be attuned to canting hymns of consolation, but the heart cannot be deceived, and with its sinking pulse the strength of life ebbs away. Nine-tenths of our city children are literally starving for lack of recreation; not the means of life, but its object, civilization has defrauded them of; they feel a want which bread only can aggravate, for only hunger helps them to forget the misery of ennui. Their pallor is the sallow hue of a cellar plant; they would be healthier if they were happier. I would undertake to cure a sickly child with fun and ryebread sooner than with titbits and tedium.

—Some people are constantly troubled with pimples and boils, especially about the face and neck. The best remedy is a thorough course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which expels all humors through the proper channels, and so makes the skin become soft, healthy, and fair.

Fourth of July.

For the grand fourth of July celebrations at Seattle and Tacoma on July 4 and 5 the steamer City of Kingston has made special rates of $1.50 to Seattle and return and $2 to Tacoma and return. Tickets will be sold on July 3, good to return on July 6. For tickets call at the N. P. R. R. office, Govern-

Grant—Can it be possible that Hawkins is in love with that fat girl? Why, she weighs 300 at least.

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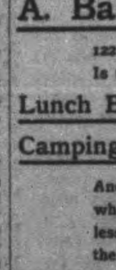

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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital

The Fifth Annual Meeting of the Donors and Subscribers to the Institution will be held in the City Hall, on Friday, the 28th June, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Business, receiving the annual report of the President and Directors, and the Treasurer's statement for the year ending 31st May, 1895; likewise the election of Directors.

The four following Directors retire, but are eligible for re-election.

J. S. Yates, Joshua Davies, William M. Chudley and Alexander Wilson.

Donors and Subscribers can vote for four members only. The City Council nominate five, the Local Government three, and the French Benevolent Society three; making a total of fifteen Director's.

H. M. YATES,
Secretary, Care of Yates & Jay, Bastion Street.

Victoria, B.C., 10th June, 1895. td.

TENDERS WANTED.

TENDERS.

Tenders will be received for Temperance Refreshment Stands on the Caledonian Grounds, July 12th, up till Monday, June 24. No liquor allowed. Tenders addressed Secretary John Wallace, 92 Douglas st. je20-3t

Mortgagee's Sale.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 5 o'clock p.m. of Tuesday, the Ninth day of July, 1895, for the purchase of the Westerly 160 acres of Lot 81, District of Alberni, B.C.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

H. G. HALL,
Solicitor for the Mortgagee, P.O. Box 172, Victoria, B.C.

Dated 20th June, 1895. J20-2w

Mortgage Sale—New Westminster, B.C.

Sealed Tenders will be received up to 12 o'clock noon of Monday, the 24th inst., at a rate on the dollar of the invoice price, for the purchase of the Groceries, Stock-in-trade, Shop Fittings and Plant, Etc., of Charles McDonough, lately carrying on business as grocer and general dealer on Front street, New Westminster.

The mortgagee will not be responsible for any possible errors in the stock list.

Tenders to be endorsed "McDonough Stock," and addressed to the undersigned; but the highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted. A marked cheque for $250 must be sent with each tender.

For particulars apply to J. Partridge, Front street, or to

H. F. CLINTON,
604 Columbia street, New Westminster, B. C., Solicitor for the Mortgagee.

7th June, 1895. je10-td

LEGAL NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership heretofore existing between J. Bolton Harrison and Arthur Walkley, under the firm name of Harrison & Walkley, general contractors, is from this date dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing by the late firm will be paid at once, if presented to either of the above parties, and all debts owing to the late firm must be paid at once to either of the undersigned.

J. B. HARRISON,
A. WALKLEY.

Witness: Thos. S. Burns. je20-3t

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership heretofore existing between Margaret A. McAdam and William Stewart, Merchant Tailors and Ladies' Tailors, under the firm name and style of Wm. Stewart & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Margaret A. McAdam has retired from the business. The assets and liabilities of the firm have been assumed by Wm. Stewart, to whom all debts must be paid.

Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, the 17th day of June, 1895.

(Signed.) MARGARET A. McADAM.
WILLIAM STEWART.

Witness: W. H. Brooks, C. R. King.

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SOCIETIES.

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The Hall of the above society in Musgrave Block, Broad street, is open daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., for the convenience of the Pioneers and their friends, who are cordially invited to visit the rooms.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fort-guard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. LOFTUS BROWN, Secretary.

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BRITISH POLITICS.

The adverse vote in the British house of commons was directed against Mr. Campbell-Bannerman, secretary for war, personally, and the success of the opposition was achieved by a "snap vote." Nevertheless it was a severe reverse for the Rosebery government as a whole, and coming on top of many other reverses it will doubtless prove too much for that government. The other ministers cannot cut their colleague loose and allow him to sink alone. It has been apparent for the last few weeks that the final blow to the government was likely to come at any time; its majority has dwindled to the danger point. In all probability an appeal to the people will shortly follow this adverse vote, and the prospects are that the defeat of the government will result. This will not be due to any inherent strength in Toryism, but to the failure of the Liberal government to carry out its programme and satisfy to the full its own adherents. Notwithstanding the reports concerning Mr. Gladstone's return to the leadership that event seems very improbable, and the Liberals will sorely miss his leadership in the coming contest. If they win in the face of their grave disadvantage we shall be most agreeably disappointed. In any event we fully believe their reverse will be only temporary. There is no reason to suppose that the country will go back permanently to Toryism, or that the Unionist combination will be successful for more than one parliament.

THE PROBABLE OUTCOME.

The Manitoba government and legislature in their reply to the "remedial order" say that compliance with that order would mean the restoration of separate schools as they were before 1890, and they point out that those schools were ill-conducted and inefficient to the point of allowing the children attending them to grow up in illiteracy. This result they say they are not willing to bring about, hence they cannot see their way to complying with the remedial order. Government organs say that in this the Manitoba government and legislature are wrong, that obedience to the remedial order would not involve the restoration of inefficient separate schools, that all the order contemplates is the restoration of the right of separate schools to the Catholic minority and that the government would be free to control and regulate these as it might choose. It is in the first place very plain that a strict rendering of the terms of the order would allow no such latitude as the government organs suggest, and the Manitoba authorities took the natural course of supposing that nothing but the "letter of the law" was to guide them. If it was intended that there should be some elasticity in the interpretation of the order the omission to indicate this was unfortunate. For there is no doubt that the Catholic minority in Manitoba and their sympathizers in Quebec take the same view of the order as the Manitoba government and assume that it requires exactly the restoration of the "status quo ante" 1890. They apparently do not contemplate the establishment of a separate school system with government control and supervision, but one under the sole control and supervision of the church, and they would be satisfied with nothing else. But, be the Manitoba government's reasons for disobedience sufficient or insufficient, the fact remains that they have refused obedience, and the terms of the order seem to impose on the Dominion government the necessity of action in the premises. The report of the cabinet committee which was adopted by the governor-in-council and sent on to Manitoba as an order said: "If Your Excellency should see fit to approve of the foregoing recommendation, the committee desires to state that it follows that refusal or neglect on the part of the legislature of Manitoba to enact remedial legislation which to Your Excellency seems requisite will confer upon parliament authority to pass such a law." The Dominion government is therefore bound by the terms of its own order to propose the passage of such a law in parliament. This is the view taken by government organs in Quebec, notably the Montreal Gazette, while it is combatted by some of the ministerial newspapers in Ontario. At all events it is the course insisted on by the Quebec following of the government, and it is hard to see how the government can evade it unless its Quebec followers consent to an abatement of their demands. Should they refuse any concession, as they very likely will, the government must yield or quarrel with them. On the other hand, compliance with their demand will alienate a large majority of the government's followers in Ontario and other provinces, so that in any event the disruption of the government seems pretty certain.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Dennis Jordan Preparing to Develop His Coal Property.

Nanaimo, June 22.—John Smith, the man arrested for the murder of Chris. Benson, was taken over to Vancouver this morning. The evidence of Mrs. Smith is very damaging, and is fully corroborated by her daughter. In her evidence she states that Smith threatened to kill her if she told of the crime. Smith is alleged to have said that he killed Benson to stop the intimacy between the murdered man and Mrs. Smith.

Dominion Day will be celebrated at Wellington by an elaborate programme of sports which has been arranged, and should succeed in drawing a large crowd.

Mr. Dennis Jordan states he fully intends to bore for coal on his property adjoining the Wellington coal lands, and is prepared to invest a large amount of capital to carry on the work.

The secretary of the Texada Gold and Silver Mining Company has taken great pains to deny the fact that three of the claims of the said company have been bonded. Of course the money has not yet been put up; that is the only thing remaining to be done. One of the directors informed the writer that it was perfectly true, and being a large shareholder, he ought to know.

THE GUILTY UNKNOWN.

Jury in Merrifield Fire Inquest Declares Them the result of Incendiarism.

The jury in the Store street fire inquest returned a verdict at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. The verdict was as follows:

"We the undersigned jurors summoned to inquire into the fire on the property at 45 Store street are agreed that all three fires were of incendiary origin, but the evidence does not warrant us in naming the guilty.

(Signed) "Thomas B. Hall (foreman), J. Fisher, J. L. Forrester, M. McCahill, A. Rusta, J. Mann."

The case is in the hands of the police for investigation, but what will be done is hard to say. There is little or no evidence in the case and it would not be surprising if the whole matter were dropped. The police have their theories but lack evidence to back them up.

MATERIAL FOR A NEST.

A Bird Stole a Ten-Dollar Bill and Used It as a Lining.

A $10 bill, which had disappeared mysteriously some time ago, was recovered by Assistant Coin Teller Phil. Turpin, of the sub-treasury, in a peculiar manner. He has a beautiful farm out on Cliff Creek, near the Little Miami river. In that section birds fairly abound. One evening about the beginning of May Mr. Turpin was getting ready to attend a soiree at Newtown, about two miles distant. The weather, it will be remembered, at that time was unusually warm, and he left the windows of his room open.

Mr. Turpin had taken his money, among which was a $10 bill, and laid it on a centre table, intending to put it in a pocket of his other trousers. The room is at the corner of the house, and has windows on both sides.

He stationed himself at one of the windows, and commenced to shave. The birds were singing outside and flying about the house, and through the open windows, joyful, no doubt, at the advent of spring, while others were busy in trees building nests. It was a luxury to shave amid such surroundings, and when Mr. Turpin had finished he looked sleeker than ever. After washing he prepared to don his Sunday-go-to-meeting clothes. After arranging his necktie to give the best effect, he went to the centre table and began picking up his money, but was not a little surprised to find a $10 bill missing. He thought that the wind might have blown it on the floor, and he began looking there for it.

After a long time spent in vain, he gave up the search there. He then went out into the yard, and began hunting among the flowers and grass for it, thinking that it might have blown through the open window, but he had to go to that soiree minus a $10 note.

Day before yesterday the severe windstorm blew a robin's nest out of a tree near the front porch. Mr. Turpin picked the nest up, and was about to cast it away when he noticed what appeared to be a piece of paper of peculiar color. He examined it, and found it to be currency of some denomination, but it was not until he had carefully torn the nest apart that he discovered it to be a $10 bill. It was apparently the one he had lost a couple of weeks ago, a bird having flown into the room and snatched up the money. The bill was in pretty bad condition, but he redeemed it at the treasury yesterday.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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CLOSE OF THE CONVENTION

Important Business Transacted at To-Day's Session of the Epworth Leaguers.

A Large Majority Decides That the Annual Convention Shall be Continued.

Quite a large number assembled at the Metropolitan Methodist church, Pandora street, last evening, the occasion of a public meeting under the auspices of the Epworth Leagues of British Columbia. The president, F. W. Davey, introduced Rev. R. R. Maitland, of Nanaimo, who was down on the programme for an address on the "Relation of the Church to Social Reform." Mr. Maitland dealt with the subject in a masterly manner, outlining the attitude of the church on all matters of social reform and the need of active, agressive work along this line. The subject, which was one of great interest, was full of practical suggestions which cannot fail to be of value to the members of the League. Madame Laird, Clement Rowlands and others were heard during the evening in a special musical programme, which was ably rendered.

This morning the convention resumed business at 9 a.m. President Davie led in the devotional meeting with which the proceedings were opened. The programme called for a paper on "Systematic Giving," from Kamloops, but owing to its non-preparation a general discussion on the subject of the paper was indulged in with much pleasure and profit.

Mr. J. H. Siddall then read a paper of decided interest on "The League and Sunday school work." In the Sabbath school and Epworth League, he said, our church possesses two engines of power that has accomplished great things and are capable of accomplishing still more for Methodism and the world. They are not separate institutions that may be favored or antagonized according to the whims or the notions of the passing hour. They are not auxiliaries or adjuncts—something tacked on as a kind of a side show to the church. The Sabbath school and Epworth League are the Methodist church going out along certain lines of activity. The church, in order that it may accomplish its work, adopts a great many methods. This fact has made us what we are, the Methodist church—the greatest institution under the heavens. The church holds class and prayer meetings. It has quarterly and trustee boards, Sunday schools and Epworth Leagues. These are simply some of the lines along which the church expends its energies and performs its work for God and humanity. The speaker then took up the work of the Sabbath school, comparing its work with that accomplished by the Epworth League. The Sabbath school has been called the nursery of the church and some have been foolish enough to speak of it as the childrens' church. We look upon, speak of and act toward the Sabbath school in this way and then wonder when we see the youths of our schools leave them in blocks when they attain a certain age. The Sabbath school is not in any sense a mere nursery. The true Sabbath school is the congregation—the church—meeting together to study God's word. The League has been organized to carry on the work of our Lord in the world. We as Leaguers are to take or send the gospel—the all embracing gospel—to all men, even unto the ends of the earth. Young, intelligent and fervent minds are our Sabbath schools every Lord's day and the great need of the hour is for spiritual and intelligent instructors for those that are ready to our hand.

The paper pointed out the similarity of purpose between the Sunday school and League work, showing the necessity of co-operation in laboring for God and Christianity.

Miss Breese, of Homer street Junior League, Vancouver, followed with a paper entitled "How to make daily Bible readings attractive to Juniors," which was listened to with closest attention and proved very instructive.

A subject which was productive of much discussion was then taken up. "Shall we continue our Epworth League Convention?" A keen and prolonged debate followed, which had the effect of making the morning session a rather lengthy one. Rev. Birks was particularly impressed with the advisability of discontinuing the conventions, but was unable to convince a majority of the members, who, when the vote was taken, decided that the conventions were to be continued—a decision which was received with hearty applause by those present. It was 12:45 when an adjournment was taken.

This afternoon the convention was occupied in praise services, reports of committees and election of officers.

The afternoon session came to a close at about 3 o'clock, when the delegates and their friends were entertained at a picnic up the Gorge. Before dispersing the delegates were photographed by Jones.

To-morrow there will be special services for the Leagues at the Metropolitan Methodist church and in the evening consecration meeting and closing exercises of the convention.

SOMETHING ABOUT DOGS.

One Went to Fires and the Other Did a Little Police Work.

Attached to the staff of one of the fire stations in Toronto, says the Detroit Evening News, was a small black dog that ran to every fire with the engines. The minute the alarm sounded he jumped for the door and waited for the men. One day there was a general cleaning up and the alarm was rung by accident. Up jumped the dog, but to his evident surprise no engines rushed forth. He went inside, sniffed around, barked at the men and horses and looked up at the alarm. Getting no satisfaction he trotted out through the back door, ran up a staircase outside a five-story factory near by until he got a bridge connecting the upper floor with an annex, looked round north, south, east and west and then returned to his place by the stove in the engine house. The firemen claim to this day that the dog went to the highest point he knew of to look for smoke or flames.

Here's another story. A farmer owned a bulldog whose favorite station was just outside the gate to the house. He would never let other dogs go inside, but one very warm summer day he was so sound asleep that one of the village canines sneaked past. Tiger woke up a moment or two afterwards and as he stood up to stretch himself, spotted the intruder. Drake was looking on and supposed that the stranger would be chewed up in another minute. To his surprise Tiger curled himself up again and apparently went off into the land of dreams. After a while the other dog came strolling towards the gate. He had arrived within a yard or two of it when an angry growl stopped him. He retired, but tried it again a little later. Another growl. Then the trespasser howled, which attracted the notice of the butcher's dog as he ran up the street after the delivery wagon. He came up sniffing and as Tiger offered no objection he went inside. When he found there was nothing the matter with his howling friend he started to resume his run. Ferocious growls from Tiger. The butcher's dog was a prisoner, too. Other dogs came along presently and by some signs known to canines Tiger induced them to "just step inside for a moment." In the course of an hour he had corralled a dozen of them and there he kept them during the reading afternoon until his master came in from the fields and set them free. Tiger grinning all over from his nose to his tail.

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BRIEF LOCALS.

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—The meeting of the A. O. U. W. Building Society has been further adjourned to June 28.

—1 day only left, so girls and boys be in time, be in time; try your luck in Partridge's competition prize advertisement: "Dress fabrics in all shades." *

—There will very likely be a large attendance at the promenade concert at A. O. U. W. hall to-night under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Jubilee Hospital.

—The strawberry social and dance given at Bertram Hall, North Pembroke street, on Thursday evening, was quite a success. The affair drew a good sized crowd and all seemed to enjoy it very much.

—Don't forget to buy your tickets for the Expressmen's excursion to Florence lake on June 30th. Two good meals and refreshments, also ride there and back for $1. No tickets will be sold after June 20th. *

—The ladies of Knox Presbyterian church will give a strawberry festival and concert on Monday evening. There will be plenty of strawberries and cream and good music and the evening will be an enjoyable one.

—The ladies of Knox Presbyterian church, Spring Ridge, have arranged for a strawberry social on Monday evening next, 24th instant. Chair taken at 8 p.m. A choice programme will be presented. Admission, 25 cents. *

—J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture, has been advised that Jas. Fletcher, entomologist of the department of agriculture, Ottawa, will visit the province some time during the latter part of next month. His trip is expected to be productive of much good.

—Last evening's meeting of the Sir William Wallace Society was given over to celebrating the anniversary of the battle of Bannockburn. There was a large attendance of members and L. Tait delivered a splendid address on "Bannockburn." The address was interesting, patriotic and well delivered, and was heard with careful attention.

—R. M. Palmer, inspector of fruit pests, is back from a visit to the orchards of Duncan's and neighboring districts. He says the fruit crop is very good, apples, pears, and small fruits being particularly good. Plums are also in excellent shape. There has been some spraying, but the results would have been better if it had been more general. He strongly advises spraying to keep down fungus growth.

—Rev. W. Leslie Clay lectured in a very entertaining way on the life of David Livingstone, the African explorer, at St. Columba church, Oak Bay, last evening. The lecturer sketched the early life of the explorer with his trials and struggles, passed then to his great work on the dark continent, and then told of the honors bestowed upon him by the Geographical Society of Great Britain and bodies. The lecture was given in aid of the mission and a fair sum was realized.

—The Cumberland Leader, of Parrsboro, N. S., says: "The sudden death of Alice Maude Coates, daughter of Mr. Lawson Coates, last Thursday night was quite a shock to the community and much sympathy is felt for the bereaved parents. Deceased, who was a bright, pretty girl of ten, was born at Clinton, B. C., and up to the day of her death was apparently in excellent health. The funeral on Saturday was largely attended, and all the children of the Parrsboro schools, except those of the primary department, walked in procession."

—Morris Law, a young Victoria mechanic, has invented and patented a hydrant which is a decided improvement on any now in use, and which will very likely meet with general favor. It is known as Law's compression hydrant, with self-acting waste. It has four inside parts, any or all of which can be removed without breaking the main. It is easily opened, requiring but three turns while the others require seven, the valve is secure from leaks and lowers to allow stones and small gravel to pass, and the valve may be removed without removing the valve box. The city has purchased three of the hydrants and they will be put in position shortly. One is to be at Jubilee hospital. The working of them will be watched with interest.

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—One of Phillips' delivery wagons was smashed up near the canteen grounds, Esquimalt, yesterday morning. The horse took fright at some firing, plunged into the ditch and after freeing itself from the wreck ran towards town with the shafts.

—It is reported that the captain of the sealing schooner Wanderer has offered to pay San Juan Indians $4 a skin, an advance of $1 over the wage scale adopted by the sealers. This may cause the detention of other schooners, the captains of which may decline to pay the higher wages.

—A grand promenade concert is to be given this evening in the A. O. U. W. hall by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Jubilee Hospital. Strawberries and cream will be served during the evening and the affair will be closed with a dance. Admission, 25 cents; strawberries and cream, 10 cents extra.

—George Duncan, a lad nine years old, was saved from drowning at the outer wharf last night by James Wishart. The boy, who lives on James street, was playing with some companions in front of the Dallas hotel. He was on a plank and venturing out too far fell in. Mr. Wishart heard the call for help and sprang in to save the boy. He reached him just in time to save the boy's life.

—At Vancouver last evening the A. F. and A. M. grand lodge officers were elected as follows: M. W. G. M., Lacey R. Johnston, Vancouver; R. W. D. G. M., A. Charleston, Westminster; R. W. G. S. W., Rev. E. D. McLaren, Vancouver; R. W. G. J. W., A. E. Lees, Vancouver; V. W. Grand Chaplain, Rev. J. A. Logan, Chilliwack; V. W. Grand Treasurer, H. F. Heisterman, Victoria; V. W. Grand Secretary, W. J. Quinlan, Victoria; Grand Tyler, G. Hosker, Victoria. The brethren wound up the day's proceedings with a banquet at the Hotel Vancouver.

—Those who had the privilege of listening to the thrilling addresses of Conductor Snider, when he recently visited the city, will be delighted to learn that, on his way back to Ontario, he has arranged to spend to-morrow in Victoria. He will preach at the opening of the Sunday school at Spring Ridge at 11 a.m., and at Metropolitan Methodist church at 4 p.m. he will deliver one of his celebrated addresses to men only, and preach in the same place at 7 p.m. He will also lecture there on Monday evening on "Queer People." The eloquent conductor is expected to draw very large audiences.

—Major J. D. Townley, of Vancouver, is in the city to-day to make final arrangements for the excursion and visit on Dominion Day of the headquarter companies of the B.C.B.G.A., and also to interview Rear-Admiral Stephenson. The steamers Charmer and Islander will both be used to carry the excursionists to Vancouver. The excursionists may go up on the trip of the Charmer at the usual hour on Sunday, June 30, on the Islander at 9:30 o'clock the same morning, or on the Charmer again at 7 o'clock on Monday morning. Adults will be carried for $1.50 and children for 50 cents for the round trip, and the tickets will be good for return until and including Wednesday, July 3rd.

—Ensign Patterson again desires to gratefully acknowledge donations from and thank the following friends who have assisted the Food and Shelter Home of the Salvation Army during the past two weeks: R. H. Jameson, R. Porter & Sons, Messrs. Patterson & Co., per G. McCulloch, London Bakery, Mrs. A. L. Belyea, friend per H. Hearns, D. H. Ross & Co., Brackman & Ker, H. Clay, Mr. Martindale, Mrs. Anderson. He also wishes to state that a picnic will be held at Oak Bay on July 1st in connection with the above institution, proceeds of which will be used to clear off a small debt incurred through the furnishing and opening of the home. Will all our friends interested in this movement kindly remember us with practical sympathy, while we thank you in anticipation of great results.

—Fernwood lodge, C. O. O. F., held its quarterly meeting on Friday evening, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: L. M., B. Cooper; N. G., A. R. Sherk; V. G., J. R. Westcott; R. S., G. E. Wilkerson; A. S., T. W. Carter; Treasurer, W. J. Dwyer; Conductor, T. Long; Warden, A. W. Carter; Trustees, R. Carter, J. J. Walsh, W. Turpell; Auditors, A. W. Carter, W. F. Fullerton, A. Campbell; Finance Committee, J. R. Westcott, A. Andrews, T. Long; Lodge Surgeon, Dr. McKechnie; R. S. N. G., W. McNaughton; L. S. N. G., W. Carter; R. S. V. G., T. Sharp; L. S. V. G., W. Hawke; R. S. S., W. F. Fullerton; L. S. S., O. Jepson; I. G., R. Carter; O. G., J. Losee. After the election the officers were duly installed by D. D. G. M., Bro. Walsh, assisted by P. G. M. Bro. Tagg. Under good of the order speeches were made by visiting brethren. The officers will entertain the members of the lodge and Dauntless lodge at the last regular meeting in July. Refreshments and a good programme will be provided.

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—Mayor Teague and Ald. Cameron, Macmillan, McLellan and Humphrey, constituting the court of revision, met this morning at 10 o'clock and formally confirmed and passed the assessment rolls. That was the only work before the court.

—The steamer Walla Walla leaves this evening for San Francisco. The cabin passengers booked from Victoria are: Miss L. McLean, Miss Green, Miss Michler, Miss K. Michler, Miss A. de Wiederbold, Mrs. M. McManchester, N. W. Taylor, Mrs. and Miss Rolph.

—Ashton Smith, a former letter carrier of Victoria, has issued a fly sheet giving his version of the causes which led to his discharge in September, 1893. Although Mr. Smith says that he reserves two or three points, "in case he should be brought into court," enough is stated to make him a defendant in an action for libel. This issue, apparently, he invites, and it will be interesting to observe what action the officials concerned will take in the matter. The fly sheet, which closes with an affidavit, is believed to have been liberally circulated.

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Mr. Clair H. Sisson, of Carnarvon, Ont., who was so satisfactorily cured by Paine's Celery Compound, after failure with all ordinary means, desires to contribute his quota of praise to a medicine, which, he says, well deserves its fame. Mr. Sisson says:—

"Some time ago, I had a severe attack of Grippe, and I did not recover from the effects of the disease. Later on, the disease attacked me with double force, so that I was unable to work. Previous to this, I was doctoring for catarrh and heart trouble, but received no benefit from the treatment I got.

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BY RAIL TO JERUSALEM.

A Fair Example of Railway Management in the Far East.

Jaffa was the home of Simon the tanner, whose house still stands, and is now for rent. It was the shipping station of Jonas; the port where Solomon landed the cedars of Lebanon with which he built his extravagant palace, and out of the wreck strewn reef that frowns in front of the custom house, rises the rock of Andromeda. It was here the poor lady was chained, but it was not the sea monster she feared, but a change in the wind. If the wind had blown from shore and brought to her the faintest whiff of Jaffa, she could not have lived to tell her tale.

"When you land here," says Cy. Warman, "you find yourself in a narrow, mean, muddy street, filled with freighted camels and burros, through which you are marched for a quarter of a mile before you come to a road wide enough to hold a carriage, then you look across the street, see Howard's hotel, dismiss the carriage, for which you have paid a tourist agency fifty cents or a dollar, and walk to your stopping place.

"From here you take the train to Jerusalem. The road is a three-foot gauge, the cars are narrow, and only half of one little pine coach is set apart for first class passengers. This space is cut by a partition, making two boxes six by seven feet for tourists.

"The train is made up of all kinds of cars. The grass is green between the ties; and the scale that is crumbling from the sand stone coraices of the station is allowed to remain where it falls, to be crushed under the feet of the voyageurs. The management is French, with a strong Turkish flavor. The pompous, almost military-looking manager, and the brightly-uniformed 'Chef de Gare'—or station-master—seem strangely out of place, when you glance at the wretchedness that surrounds them.

"The time was up and we were fifteen minutes overdue to leave, when I asked Howard, the hotel man, what the matter was.

"'Waiting for Le Directeur de la Compagnie,' said he, with a smile, for he knew how absurd it was to hold the only daily train the road runs for the general manager.

"Another quarter of an hour went by, and still another.

"Suddenly there was a bustling among the station hands, the bell jingled, the whistle—the deep-voiced, North American Baldwin whistle—sounded, and we moved away. At the last moment I saw the handsome station master hurry a well-dressed gentleman to our car to put him in, and then swing gracefully into the second class carriage immediately behind ours. A couple of officers of an English warship which was anchored at Jaffa occupied one of the first class compartments, and now the new-comer came in where I was.

"The train started slowly, and seemed to be running over a track made of short pieces of rails; but I soon found that the one wheel at my corner had three flat spots on it, and the two rear wheels had but one. This gave the car an uncertain kind of movement, two short hops and a long one.

"Forty-five minutes out we stopped at Lydda, 12½ miles from Jaffa. The red-faced station master from Jaffa came from his carriage, just as the station master of Lydda came out of the station. Their eyes met, they stopped, clasped hands, and you could see in a minute that they belonged to the same lodge. The Lyddian tilted his head slightly as a hen does when she sees a hawk, high above; then they unplaited their fingers and rushed into each other's arms. When they had embraced, the 'chef' from Jaffa held the Lyddian off at arm's length, and looked calmly into his eyes. The Lyddian nodded his head three times, very slowly, and the 'chef' kissed him on the right and then on the left cheek. Another deep blast from the Philadelphia whistle, and my carriage began to scamper away like a wounded hare in the stubble. Another quarter of an hour brought us to Ramleh—old Arimathea, one hour from Jaffa, and this Syrian cyclone has covered 18 miles.

"I dropped off as the train was coming in, and made a picture of the pretty little station. Ramleh is an old town, in fact, everything is old here. The railway, which was opened only two years ago, is old, and only a few people came to see the train go by. It has always been a place of importance, for here the old caravan road from Damascus to Egypt crosses the trail trod by the crusaders from Jaffa to Jerusalem.

"At Lydda I fancied I smelt a hot box, then I laughed at the idea—a hot box at 18 miles an hour—it was only the odor of the Orient, I reasoned, and forgot. But now as the train stopped at Ramleh two clouds of beautiful blue smoke came up from a coal car near the locomotive and floated away across the rolling plain. When we arrived at Beir Aban, 31 miles out, time 2 hours and 15 minutes, and the station master from Jaffa had embraced and kissed the station master at Beir Aban, first on the right cheek and then on the left, the cloud of smoke that arose from two hot boxes hid the locomotive entirely. For half an hour the train crew carried water from the tank and flooded the hot boxes. The same was repeated at Bittir—even to the kissing and embracing—and we were off on the home stretch for Jerusalem, which is 2600 feet above the Mediterranean.

"The distance from Jaffa to Jerusalem, according to Howard's 'Guide to Palestine,' is 32 miles as the ravine makes it, and 36 by wagon road. The distance by rail is 87 kilometres (about 54 miles), according to the time card, and the same makes the running time four hours and ten minutes, but we have lost an hour to-day.

"The fare, first class, is $3; second class, $2; and third class, $1.25. The road has never earned operating expenses, I am told, and never will, I am led to believe. The locomotives are the best mountain locomotives made, and that is about the only thing they have to speak of.

"I think there must be something in the brotherhood of station masters prohibiting the sweeping of floors in stations, as they are all covered with sand.

"Now the whistle sounds deep and long and the train has reached the top of the canyon—the end of the gulch—and here before us, nestled in the very top of a group of little hills, is Jerusalem. The sun is just going down in the hills through which we came, and away to the east, beyond the Dead Sea, the hills of Moab are taking on the wonderful tints they wear at sunset. They are unlike any other mountains, in that the crest line is as straight as the line of the horizon on the level plain.

"How strange it all seems. There is nothing but rocks and scrubby olive trees, and dead looking grape vines, and not many of them. The people are strange, too. On the way to the hotel, we pass all kinds of people of the Orient. Bedouins on high horses, with their knees cocked up, plainsmen on thin-legged Arabian steeds; all manner of men on donkeys and on foot, beggars and even lepers; Jews with corkscrew locks hanging down in front of their ears, and idle pilgrims who do nothing on earth but walk up the valley of Jehosaphat and down the road to Bethlehem. They come, many of them, from Russia. They have nothing when they strike town, and just about manage to hold their own."

CURIOSITIES OF ETIQUETTE.

Some Very Queer Ideas in Foreign Court Life.

In the Austrian court it is contrary to custom for perishable articles to appear twice on the imperial table. The result is large perquisites for the attendants. To one man falls all the uncorked bottles, to another the wine left in the glasses, to another the joints and to another still the game or the sweets. Every morning a sort of market is held in the basement of the palace, where the Viennese come readily to purchase the remains. And there is no other means of procuring imperial tokay than this.

Long ago in England even the greatest men in the land were pleased to receive such perquisites. In the reign of Henry II., for instance, the Lord Chancellor was entitled to the candle-ends of one great and forty small candles per day. And the aquarius, who must be a baron in rank, received one penny for drying towels on every ordinary occasion of the King's bathing. The ceremonial that the revolution swept away from the first Emperor Napoleon was careful to revive in a less extreme form, and it is characteristic of the man that he made a special study of it, and went so far as to prescribe the special forms to be observed on great occasions. Before his coronation M. Isabey, the miniature painter, gave seven rehearsals with wooden dolls appropriately dressed of the seven ceremonies that were to be enacted. And one ceremony being especially intricate, the functionaries rehearsed it in person in the gallery of Diana at the Tuileries, a plan having been carefully traced with chalk on the floor. This was the sort of thing in which Napoleon especially rejoiced, and he himself arranged beforehand all the details of the entry of Maria Louisa into France and of his subsequent marriage to her. Among other particulars, on reaching what was then French territory, the Archduchess was conducted into the east-ward room of a three-roomed house near Braunau; the French commissioner entered the westward; while the third room in the middle was occupied by the rest of the party. And M. de Bausset, who gives an account of the proceedings, having bored holes with a gimlet in the door of the middle room, had a splendid view of the unconscious princess. But, he quaintly adds, it was the ladies who took most advantage of his forethought.

The ceremonial of the Chinese court is somewhat exacting. It used to include, if it does not now, complete prostration before the throne. Last century a Persian envoy refused to go through the degrading ordeal. Directions were given to the officials to compel him by stratagem to do so. On arriving one day at the entrance to the hall of audience, the envoy found no means of going in except by a wicket, which would compel him to stoop very low. With great presence of mind and considerable audacity the ambassador turned round and entered backward, thus saving the honor of his country.—London Standard.

HOME INDUSTRY.

Impressions Obtained During a Visit to the B. C. Soap Works.

"Home Industry." Just what this means was put before a Times representative in a very forcible manner yesterday, when, through the courtesy of Mr. W. J. Pendray, he was shown through his large factory—a very hive of industry, covering a large block of land on Humboldt street. In the main building are three immense kettles, heated by steam, for boiling soaps, the qualities of which are known throughout the length and breadth of the province. Alongside stands a steam crutcher for mixing the soaps before being run into the iron tanks preparatory to being cut up into bars and cakes. On the left of the main building is a large drying room, where after being cut into bars and cakes, the soaps are allowed to remain to mellow, after which they are taken to another room on the right, where boys were hard at work wrapping and packing into boxes, ready for storage for shipment in the immense warehouse. This is a building 60 feet by 120 feet, and a sight which would fairly make the eyes of the good housewives of Victoria sparkle. There are boxes of soap by the thousand. Small boxes, large boxes, some with cakes and some with bars, and to the reporter's surprise he found soaps two years old, and what soap it is. Electric soap in cakes and bars, it looked to him enough to supply the province for a year to come. But, Mr. Pendray said, of late this soap has become so popular as to make it necessary for immense stocks to be always kept on hand. The reporter's constant question to Mr. Pendray was, "Well, why will the people of British Columbia, and of Victoria especially, use eastern soap, when right here at home such goods are made?" Mr. Pendray replied, "If we could only convince the people of Victoria of this we should employ at least twenty more men in our factory. You can easily see what that means. Houses that are empty filled with families, more trade for the butcher, baker and grocer, in fact it is the one thing that we want just now to help us tide over these hard times."

Then a trip was made to the basement, where there are huge tanks filled with sal soda, while in one corner was a stack of 50 tons ready for shipment, and in another mills grinding blacking and Paris blue. Out in the yard are stacks of lumber from our city planing mills being made into boxes, a carpenter being kept constantly employed. The next house was quite apart and was devoted to vinegar. Here a man brought out from England as a specialist was busy making table and pickling vinegars, which he assured the reporter was equal to any of the old English brands. Going back to the main factory, Mr. Pendray showed the press representative into a side room, over which his son presides. Here a number of machines are kept busy printing labels and turning out paper boxes. Mr. Pendray says there is quite an industry springing up in this branch. He continued, "you see we make large varieties of fancy and toilet soaps, which are all put up in cardboard boxes. And then there is quite a demand for them in the city also." Lastly, attention was drawn to a machine grinding the noted Extract of Soap made by the firm, again bringing to mind the question which constantly puzzles those who visit the works: "While these goods can and are made equally as good at home, how is it the citizens will not demand home made goods?" And the reporter thought he would like to ask every citizen of Victoria, "How does this affect you?"

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Station.	Train No		Mon Tues Wed Thur Fri	Saturd'y	Sunday.
Victoria......Lv	1	a.m.	7:00	7:00	9:00
	3	p.m.	4:00	2:00	2:00
Royal Oak......	1	a.m.	7:14	7:14	9:14
	3	p.m.	4:14	2:14	2:14
Elk Lake......	1	a.m.	7:23	7:23	9:23
	3	p.m.	4:23	2:23	2:23
Saanichton......	1	a.m.	7:35	7:35	9:35
	3	p.m.	4:35	2:35	2:35
Sidney......Ar	1	a.m.	7:48	7:48	9:48
	3	p.m.	4:48	2:48	2:48

GOING SOUTH.

Station.	Train No		Mon Tues Wed Thur Fri	Saturd'y	Sunday.
Sidney......Lv	2	a.m	8:15	8:15	10:15
	4	p.m	5:15	5:15	5:00
Saanichton......	2	a.m	8:28	8:28	10:28
	4	p.m	5:28	5:28	5:13
Elk Lake......	2	a.m	8:40	8:40	10:40
	4	p.m	5:40	5:40	5:25
Royal Oak......	2	a.m	8:54	8:54	10:54
	4	p.m	5:54	5:54	5:39
Victoria......Ar	2	a.m	9:08	9:08	11:08
	4	p.m	6:08	6:08	5:53

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TIME TABLE NO. 24

To take effect at 8 a.m. on Friday, April 5, 1895. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

North Bound, Read Down: No. 2 Pass. Daily.	North Bound, Read Down: No. 4 Pass Sat, Su.	Mi. fr. Vic.	STATIONS.	Mi. fr. W'el	South Bound, Read Up: No. 1 Pass. Daily.	South Bound, Read Up: No. 3 Pass. Sat, Su.
De. 8.00 am	De. 4.30 pm		Victoria	78	Ar 12 20 pm	Ar. 8 30 pm
" 8.04	" 4.55	1	Russell's	77	" 12.16	" 8.25
" 8.14	" 5.03	4	Esquimalt	74	" 12.05	" 8.18
" 8.17	" 5.06	5	Stewart's	73	" 12.03	" 8.15
" 8.20	" 5.09	6	Parson's Bridge	72	" 12.00	" 8.12
" 8.27	" 5.15	8	Langford	70	" 11.53	" 8.06
" 8.37	" 5.24	11	Goldstream	67	" 11.43	" 7.57
" 9.05	" 5.52	20	Summit Siding	58	" 11.15	" 7.30
" 9.30	" 6.14	28	Shawnigan Lake	50	" 10.50	" 7.10
" 9.40	" 6.22	31	Cobble Hill	47	" 10.40	" 7.02
" 9.55	" 6.31	35	McPherson's	43	" 10.25	" 6.53
" 10.05	" 6.38	38	Koksilah	40	" 10.15	" 6.46
" 10.10	" 6.42	40	Duncan's	38	" 10.10	" 6.42
" 10.20	" 6.51	43	Somenos	35	" 10.00	" 6.35
" 10.27	" 6.58	47	Westholme	31	" 9.53	" 6.26
" 10.42	" 7.08	52	Chemainus	26	" 9.38	" 6.15
" 11.00	" 7.26	58	Oyster Bay Siding	19	" 9.20	" 5.57
" 11.09	" 7.35	62	Oyster Bay	16	" 9.11	" 5.48
" 11.40	" 8.06	73	Nanaimo	5	" 8.40	" 5.15
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BRITISH POLITICAL CRISIS.

The Announcement of the Defeat Created Great Amazement in the House.

Great Excitement Prevails—The Members Are Discussing Dissolution.

London, June 21.—The announcement of the figures which defeated the government yesterday caused great amazement in the house. The Conservative leader, Mr. Balfour, asked what course the government proposed to take, and the chancellor of the exchequer, Sir William Vernon Harcourt, announced that the government would proceed with a non-contentious bill, and the house proceeded to discuss the naval works bill. The Unionists are jubilant at such an unexpected victory. The opposition only issued an ordinary "whip," but there was an immense amount of private canvassing done to bring up their supporters. The division occurred during the dinner hour and some of the government supporters had left the house. Great excitement prevails in the lobbies and members are eagerly discussing the expected dissolution.

The Times in an editorial discussing the ministerial crisis says: "Following closely upon the Gladstone incident, which the wildest imagining of the ministerial apologists cannot explain away, this defeat, it is admitted by numbers of staunch Liberals, places the government in an extremely awkward position. With Mr. Campbell-Bannerman personally much sympathy will be felt. No course except resignation is open to him, and that must involve the break up of the cabinet. The government will gain nothing by seeking a formal vote of confidence which is not even certain to be given. It is useless to struggle ignominiously to postpone an inevitable dissolution.

The Chronicle's lobbyist says that a loud shout of triumph went up from the Conservative benches. The members leaped to their feet and the Liberal-Unionists, led by Jos. Chamberlain, leaned forward with mocking cheers, mingled with cries to "resign." Mr. Campbell-Bannerman turned deadly pale and formally sent his resignation to Lord Rosebery and directly left the house. The explanation of the affair is that the Radicals expected an exciting debate over an attack on the Duke of Cambridge, and when his retirement was announced all interest was gone and they slipped away, evading the whips, who supposed they were able to count upon a majority of sixteen. The duke's retirement overshadowed everything. The opposition whips caught the Liberals napping.

The Daily News (Liberal) in an editorial says: "To tell the world of our defensive resources in detail would be an act of criminal folly for which no punishment could be too severe. Mr. Campbell-Bannerman's resignation cannot be accepted. If he resigns his colleagues will resign with him."

The house of commons adjourned at 10:30 o'clock without further incident. It is reported that Mr. Campbell-Bannerman, secretary of war, said to a friend in the lobby that this is his last night as minister in the present cabinet. The ministers only consulted together, as Lord Rosebery, the premier, was at Epsom. A formal cabinet meeting will be held to-morrow.

The fright among the Liberals abated before the house rose and the opinion was expressed that the government should ask for a vote of confidence, which would be certain to be given by the normal government majority. Thus the crisis would be averted.

The Hon. John Morley, chief secretary for Ireland, and Mr. Shaw Lefevre, president of the local government board, were both absent and unpaired from to-night's division in the house of commons. Sir Charles Dilke, Radical member for Gloucestershire, voted against the government. Mr. Campbell-Bannerman was engaged in conversation with Liberal members in the lobby at the time of the division.

He feels the defeat as a personal affront and resents its instigation by the front opposition bench, to whom he had promised to give the information sought if expressly challenged to do so, although he thought such publicity not advisable. They avoided the responsibility of making the demand, yet voted against him. It is stated that several Conservatives regret the outcome of the vote; Mr. Campbell-Bannerman being very popular on both sides of the house. Lord Rosebery came to town to-night and the cabinet meeting began in Sir William Harcourt's room in the house of commons and was continued at Lord Rosebery's residence until nearly midnight, the Liberal whip being present. It is understood that the cabinet discussed the possibility of reversing to-day's vote in the report stage of the bill. Although it is doubtful whether Mr. Campbell-Bannerman could be persuaded to remain in the cabinet, that body meets again tomorrow for a decision."

The general belief expressed this evening is that the defeat of the government means a crisis. The business of the session can be wound up in short order. The result of the division was so unexpected that when the paper was handed to the opposition whip, Mr. Akers Douglas, to read the figures, he returned it [illegible] Ellis, who had about read it when he saw it was a defeat and returned it to Mr. Douglas, who, as the opposition had won, was entitled to announce the figures. Mr. Douglas read them amid prolonged and vociferous opposition cheering.

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WILL DRIVE ZEBRAS.

Kaiser William Will Appear Behind a New Team.

The Kaiser William has received from a Boer firm in the Transvaal a consignment of three zebras, that have been broken in for carriage use and are said to be reliable if driven abreast. His Majesty intends to use the team before the Russian troika, a carriage built for three horses harnessed together. The Troika was given him by the late Emperor of Russia, and in trying to drive the fiery horses of the steppes with his own royal hands, or rather his hand (for his left arm is no use to him in handling the ribbons) the Kaiser came near getting killed once or twice. Several of his coachmen were injured and one killed in runaway accidents with the troika horses.

The zebra team will be thoroughly tested before His Majesty attempts to handle it. The animals are now installed in the royal mews at the Neuss Palais, and are exercised daily by an expert driver in the grounds. They seem to go quietly, but the fact that two grooms on fleet horses follow in their tracks proves that accidents are anticipated, and that the driver is not willing to sacrifice his life for the sake of his master's whim.

The zebras are graceful, slight of build and nearly of the size of Trakehnen horses from the celebrated royal stud which the Emperor usually drives. Their bodies are white, striped with numerous brownish black bands. Three sets of russet and red morocco harness for each are being manufactured.

If expectations are realized, the Emperor intends to use the team upon his frequent travels between Potsdam and Berlin instead of the four Hungarian "Juckers" now employed by him.

Experiments with zebras were first conducted at the Paris Jardin d'Acclimatation two years ago. The managers harnessed two zebras before a heavy wagon with an old horse between them, so that they might learn the gait and other necessary accomplishments. A servant walked at the head of each zebra holding him by the bridle. The animals, although very shy and vicious, after a while showed themselves tractable. They were sold to a rich sportsman who by his haste spoiled everything. He had to sell them to a menagerie at a great loss.

The Emperor heard of the experiment and requested the authorities of German East Africa to get him a team of four.

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FROM OVER THE BORDER.

An Electrician Survives a Full Shock of Three Thousand Volts.

Murder and Suicide—Flurry in Oil—Trolly Smash-Up—Accident in 'Frisco.

San Francisco, June 21.—The walls of the old city hall caved in to-day and one man was killed and three injured. A number of workmen were tearing down the old city hall, a stone structure, nearly 50 years old, and the work had progressed so that the building was a mere shell. The northwest corner walls suddenly spread, the roof caved in and four men on the roof fell inside the building.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 21.—Oil took a little flurry to-day. It opened at $1.75 and sold at $1.81; it then broke to $1.77, and at noon was offered at $1.75. The Standard Oil Company advanced its price for credit balance 5 cents to $1.60.

Atlanta, Ga., June 21.—The physicians report Governor Atkinson as holding his own and they are hopeful of his recovery, though they bulletined him yesterday as seriously ill.

Hudson, N. Y., June 21.—In the railway station of the village of Philmont, on the Harlem road, this morning, Harry Krooze, station agent, shot and killed his brother-in-law, George Jacobi, and then killed himself. The cause of the trouble between them is unknown. Krooze suspected Jacobi of having been the cause of his discharge. He had been despondent all the morning but had no quarrel with Jacobi, who was sitting at the telegraph instrument when he was shot. No one saw the shooting.

Hazelton, Pa., June 21.—Jos. Segros committee suicide this morning by throwing himself in front of a passenger train at Audentoid. He was ground to pieces. Segros recently came into the possession of considerable money.

New York, June 22.—The trading at the opening was moderate in volume, but prices were for the most part lower.

Washington, June 22.—Minister Kurino and Secretary Metzua, of the Japanese legation, leave here to-morrow for a tour to Niagara Falls, Lower Canada and the sea shore.

Newburgh, N. Y., June 21.—Two trolley cars, one bound east and the other west, collided on the Walden and Orange Lake road seven miles west of here at 7:30 a.m., both running at a high rate of speed. The cars were wrecked and eight men injured.

Baltimore, Md., June 21.—The remains of Jacob N. Kerngood, the long missing travelling salesman who disappeared in the Niagara river at Lewiston on Tuesday, reached the union station this morning and after a brief service at Eutawa Place Temple, were interred in Ohteb Shallom cemetery.

Elkton, Md., June 21.—Horace Cooper was hanged here to-day.

Rochester, N. Y., June 21.—Foreman Frank Grover, of the Rochester Gas Electric Company, who is employed at the power house at Lower Falls, last evening received a shock of 3000 volts and was resuscitated after seventy-five minutes of hard work by a physician and three fellow workmen. Grover's right leg and arm and side were terribly burned. The amount of electricity that passed through the body of Grover during the time he was pressed against the dynamo is considered three times that necessary to kill in the state prison. Grover is 33 years old and is a practical electrician. His ultimate recovery is assured.

Port Hammond News.

Port Hammond, June 18.—The regular meeting of Loyal Fraser Velley Lodge, No. 91, C.O.O.F., was held Saturday, June 15th, in the C.O.O.F. hall, Port Hammond. There was a large attendance of brethren. One new member was initiated and several degrees conferrd. A large number of propositions were read for the next regular meeting. The election of officers then took place and resulted as follows: P. G., Bro. J. C. McFarlane; P. N. G., Bro. W. G. Newton; N. G., Bro. O. N. Hamerton; V. G., Bro. P. D. McTavish; Sec., A. L. Lazenby; Treas., P. E. Lazenby; Warden, G. Gough; Con., F. Parrott; I. G., F. H. Armstrong; R. S. N. G., F. Van; L. S. N. G., H. Davenport; R. S. V. G., A. Falconer; L. S. V. G., P. McTavish, Sr. The reports of the different committees showed the lodge to be in a most satisfactory state. It is expected that the Provincial Grand Master, Bro. James Bagg, of Victoria, will pay an official visit to Loyal Fraser Valley Lodge in the near future.

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Potts—Yes. She was too ignorant—couldn't spell at all.

Watts—Did she get mad when you told her she had to go?

Potts—Oh, no; [illegible] for parting with her that she was so pretty that the clerks couldn't attend to their work for staring at her.

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QUEER LANGUAGE.

The "Camphor Tongue" of a Wild But Inoffensive Race.

One of the queerest languages in the world, used for the queerest purposes, is the "camphor language" of Johore, a country of the Malay Peninsula. It has lately been studied and reported upon by Mr. Lake, an English engineer, in the service of the Sultan of Johore. This language, according to the Boston Traveller, is called the "Pantang Kapor," or "camphor language," and is used by the natives and all others who are engaged in gathering the product of the Malayan camphor tree, and only at that time. If they use either of the languages of the region, the Malay or the aboriginal Jakun, the natives believe that they could not obtain any camphor, and for a most curious reason. The camphor tree, dryobalanops camphora, grows abundantly in certain parts of the peninsula, but only occasionally contains camphor crystals. The camphor is not the same as that obtained from the camphor laurel of Formosa and Japan, which is the source of the ordinary camphor of commerce. It is a sort very highly prized by the Chinese in the embalming of their dead, in incense and in medicine, and the gum brings much more than the common camphor.

The Malayans and other Johore natives believe that each species of tree has a spirit or divinity that presides over its affairs. The spirit of the camphor tree is known by the name of Bisan—literally "a woman." Her resting place is near the trees, and when at night a peculiar noise is heard in the woods, resembling that of a cicada, the Bisan is believed to be singing, and camphor will surely be found in the neighborhood. But the spirit of the camphor tree seems to be jealous of the precious gum and must be propitiated, and if she knows that hunters are in quest of it she will endeavor to turn their steps aside. So it is necessary to speak in a tongue that she does not understand. For this purpose the "camphor language" has been invented. It consists of a mixture of Jakun and Malay words, but these are curiously altered and reversed, and the natives positively believe that the divinity of the camphor tree is completely confused. The Jakuns who hunt the camphor are one of the wildest of people, but inoffensive. They live together with monkeys, dogs, cats, innumerable fowls and, perhaps, a tame hornbill, in perfect harmony, under movable leaf shelters, built on poles in the woods.

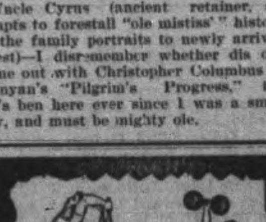
—If you want a nice stock of preserves for the winter, take advantage of the fruit season and put up your fruit in the jars the Weiler Bros. sell.

Frankie Wilson—We've got a new baby.

Johnny Chicago—That's nothin'. We've got a new papa.

The best is what you want when you are in need of medicine. That is why you should insist upon Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Uncle Cyrus (ancient retainer, attempts to forestall "ole mistiss'" history of the family portraits to newly arrived guest)—I dis-remember whether dis one came out with Christopher Columbus or Bunyan's "Pilgrim's Progress," but hit's ben here ever since I was a small bey, and must be mighty ole.



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W. [illegible]

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that in future the Public Library will be closed on Saturdays between the hours of 1 p.m. and 6 p.m.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

Victoria, B.C., June 11th, 1895.

$10 REWARD.

The above mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the conviction of any person or persons breaking the glass of the window of any unoccupied house or other, in the City of Victoria, or damaging in any way any portion thereof, or of the premises appertaining thereto, or removing therefrom any article belonging to the said premises, or defacing injuring or destroying any street sign or other property belonging to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

Victoria, B.C., March 20th, 1895.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of consumers of water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Sections 12, 20, and 23 of The Water Works Regulation By-Law, 1894, which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of water of the said water works shall use such water for irrigating except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

In the North Ward on Mondays and Thursdays.
In the Central Ward on Tuesdays and Fridays.
In the South Ward on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore mentioned the water will be turned off, and there shall be charged in addition to ordinary rates the sum of fifty cents for each infraction.

The above penalties will be strictly enforced.

JAS. L. RAYMUR, Water Commissioner.

Water Commissioner's Office, 14th May, 1895. m17

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of Section 35 of the Municipal Act Amendment Act, 1894, that the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria has, by resolution, in each case of Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 hereunder, which resolutions were passed at a meeting of the said Council held on the 17th day of June, instant, declared that:

1. Certain wooden cabins, buildings and structures appurtenant thereto, situate in and upon Lot 143, Block 20, Humboldt street.

2. Certain wooden cabins, buildings and structures appurtenant thereto, situate in and upon Lot 1244, Block 2, Humboldt street.

3. Certain wooden cabins, buildings and structures appurtenant thereto, known as Nos. 13, 16, 18 and 20, situated upon Lot 180, Block 1, at the corner of Yates street and Waddington alley.

4. Certain wooden cabins, buildings and structures appurtenant thereto, known as Nos. 63, 65 and 67 Cormorant street, and No. 12 Pandora street, situate and being on the west part of Lot 535, Block T.

5. Two certain wooden cabins, buildings, structures and appurtenances thereto, being Nos. 151 and 147 respectively, situate and being on Lot 601, Block N, corner of Fisguard and Government streets.

All of which being within the Municipal limits of the City of Victoria, are in each case, and respectively, a nuisance and dangerous to public health, and it was thereby ordered that the same shall be pulled down and removed by the respective owners, agents, lessees or occupiers thereof, and in case of default by any of the said owners, agents, lessees or occupiers within a period of five days after publication of this notice in the Daily Times, a daily newspaper published in such municipality, to comply with this order, it was thereby ordered that such pulling down and removal of the said cabins, buildings and structures shall be done by the Sanitary Officer of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, at the cost of the owners of such cabins, buildings and structures as above mentioned respectively, and that payment of such cost and all expenses incidental thereto shall be enforced against the owner thereof by the said Sanitary Officer in an action of law in any court of competent jurisdiction.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

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THE WHEEL.

OFFICERS FOR THE MEET.

At last evening's meeting of the Victoria Wheelmen's Club officers were elected for the meeting to take place at the Oak Bay track on the 29th. The officers are: Referee, W. S. Keay, Westminster, chief consul of district 11, C. W. A.; starter, J. A. Fullerton, president Burrard Bicycle Club, Vancouver; judges, C. H. Gibbons, president V. W. C., Herbert Kent and G. H. Seelig; timer and handicapper, Thomas W. Edwards; scorer, W. J. Jeffree, and clerk of the course, M. C. Reynard. Committees have in hand the matter of securing reduced rates from the transportation companies, arrangements for an illuminated parade and a club run on the 30th instant, when visitors to the city will be the guests of the club. The secretary has been empowered to invite the lady riders of the city to become honorary members of the club.

THE FIRST HEAT.

The first heat in the ten mile road race for the Harris cup is to be started at 5 this evening. The entries are:

Rider.	Weight.	Handicap.
C. Phillips	21 lbs.	4:15 min.
T. G. Moody, jr.	20 lbs.	1:40 min.
T. Kavanagh	20 lbs.	1:00 min.
S. P. Moody	21 1-2 lbs.	Scratch

THE GUN.

BADLY TREATED.

J. C. and F. S. Maclure, who went to Portland to represent the Union Gun Club at the annual tournament of the S. A. N. W., returned home last evening rather disappointed. Before leaving they telegraphed to Portland to make sure of the dates, and the association secretary replied, "June 20, 21 and 22." On reaching Tacoma Messrs. Maclure found that the dates had been changed to July 1, 2, 3. A protest, endorsed by Tacoma, was telegraphed to Portland and the Victorians proceeded to the Oregon metropolis. At Portland it was found that the dates had been again changed to June 24, 25, 26. As Messrs. Maclure could not wait they were allowed to shoot through the programme, but as they fired 335 shots between 12:30 and 4:30 on Wednesday afternoon good scoring was out of the question. The live bird shoot not filling, the Globe trophy contest was the chief event of the tournament. In this F. S. Maclure left a score of 47 out of a possible 50.

YACHTING.

NEW RATING.

The classification committee of the Victoria Yacht Club has arranged the rating of the various yachts as follows: Class 1—Volage, 9.8; Daisy Bell, 5; Frou Frou, 4.5; Dora, 4; Irene, 3; Spendthrift, 3.

Class 2 (half raters)—Viola, 10.5; Plunger, 0.5; Swallow, 0.5; Deborah, 0.5; Edith, 0.5; Monarch, 0.5; Annie, 0.5; Wasp, 0.5; M. Bales, 0.5.

At 9:30 a.m. to-morrow several of the yachts leave on a cruise to Albert Head.

THE OAR.

COLLEGE RACE POSTPONED.

Starting Point, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 21, 4:25 p.m.—The Pennsylvania crew were in their shell to be towed to the start when the swell of one of the passing police tugs threw the shell against the float and wrecked it. Large holes were stove in the boat, which filled at once. Coach Woodruff and Captain Bell proceeded at once to the start to try and arrange with Columbia and Cornell for a postponement until they could secure another shell. Cornell promptly offered the use of their second boat, but as it is set for port stroke and Pennsylvania rows starboard stroke the Quakers could not accept it. About 5:45 the decision was reached on the referee's boat to postpone the race till Monday afternoon. Pennsylvania's captain also refused a shell which Columbia offered, and insisted on postponement. Ten minutes after the announcement of the decision the starting point was deserted.

The Y. M. C. A. organized a rowing club last night with a membership of 18. The object is to have a set of races each month. The name of the club will be the Triangle Rowing Club.

LACROSSE.

CAPITALS AND NANAIMOS.

The Nanaimo lacrosse team came down on the noon train and are this afternoon engaged with the Capitals in the first intermediate home schedule lacrosse match. The teams are evenly matched.

BASEBALL.

OFF TO SEATTLE.

The Amity baseball team, accompanied by several enthusiasts, left this morning for Seattle, where they are this afternoon playing against their old opponents, the S. A. C.'s. Duck was unable to go, [illegible]

Clearance Sale of Furniture, Etc.

The immense stock of well selected furniture, carpets, curtains, oil cloths, linoleum, crockery, glassware, lamps, etc., of the Sehl-Hastie-Erskine Furniture Co., limited, will be sold at greatly reduced prices for cash. Call early and secure bargains.

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BRIEF LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—The B. C. B. G. A. band will play at the park this evening. The programme was published last evening.

—The garden fete at Cloverdale on Wednesday, July 3, at 3 p.m., is to be under distinguished patronage. Numerous attractions.

—The steamer Mexico arrived at the outer wharf shortly after three this afternoon, several hours late from San Francisco. She had on an unusually large load of freight.

—A petition is being circulated asking Mayor Teague to call a meeting to discuss the water works tenders. Those aldermen who voted in favor of Walkely, King and Casey's tender are invited to attend.

—Triumph Lodge, No. 16, I.O.G.T., held a very interesting session in the Masonic Hall, Esquimalt, on Thursday evening. This lodge meets weekly and a hearty welcome will be given to all members, especially strangers in the city.

—Those who wish a pleasant afternoon should attend the strawberry festival in St. James' Hall on Wednesday, June 26th. The ladies of the sewing society will have a few pretty articles for sale, but the strawberries and cream will be the main feature.

—The Northern Pacific steamship Tacoma arrived from the Sound at 10:30 o'clock this morning and will leave again on her way to the Orient late this afternoon. She received a number of Chinese passengers and several shipments of freight here. She has a big cargo of freight, made up of flower and general merchandise for Japanese, Chinese and other Asiatic ports.

—The band of H. M. S. Royal Arthur plays the following programme at Oak Bay this evening:

March—"Coronation" .... Eilenberg
Valse—"Un Premier Bouquet" .. Waldteufel
Selection—"The Mikado" .... Sullivan
Cornet Echo Solo—"The Post in the Forest" .... Schraffer
Grand Selection—"Cavalleria Rusticana" .... Mascagni
Troop—"May Blossoms" .... Weir
Selection—"Round the Town" ..... Godfrey
Dance—"Go Bang" .... Carr

—Liquor was at the root of all the cases heard in police court this morning. John White, who was found drunk on the streets, was fined $5. Lucy, an Indian woman, who was arrested with a bottle of whiskey in her possession, was fined $25. Mary, another Indian woman, remanded from yesterday morning with the hope that the man who sold her the liquor might be found, was brought into court and ordered to pay a fine of $5. The attempt of the police to find the supplier in the last case was unsuccessful. The three cases were the only ones heard by the court.

—The Alaska excursion steamer Queen returned this morning from her first trip of the season to the ice fields of the far north. She had a full complement of passengers, including many prominent citizens of the Eastern States. The trip was a very pleasant one, and there being a jolly crowd on board, was enjoyed by all. Several hours were spent at Victoria, giving the passengers an opportunity to see the places of interest in and surrounding the city. A large number of the excursionists will remain here over Sunday and Monday, returning east over the C. P. R. on Tuesday morning. Captain Carrol reports that he passed the City of Topeka in Queen Charlotte Sound yesterday, so that she should be here this evening. The Topeka was due several days ago.

—Pythian decoration day will be observed to-morrow with fitting ceremonies. Final arrangements were made at a largely attended meeting at Castle Hall last night. Committees were named to decorate the graves of departed brothers and upon some of the members will devolve the task of delivering orations. The committees named were as follows: Far West lodge, No. 1—W. J. Smith, F. Hinds, F. LeRoy and J. C. Byrne; Sunset lodge, E. E. Leason, James Kirkwood, W. Chandler and Thomas Hubbert; Victoria lodge, A. Rusta, J. K. Gilbert, A. C. Cameron and J. C. Voss; and Uniform Rank, H. F. W. Behnsen, S. L. Redgrave and M. Meiss. Flowers will be received at Castle Hall between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. to-morrow. The knights will march to the cemetery, leaving Castle Hall at 1:30 o'clock and following the route mapped out herewith: Broad to Yates street, thence to Blanchard, thence to Fort, thence to Cook and thence to Fairfield road.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

Horsefly Mining Co. v. Kelly et Al. Postponed.

[illegible] in supreme court chambers this morning made an order postponing the trial of the action of the Horsefly Mining Co v. Kelly et al. The trial will not take place until after the appeal is decided. The appeal is from a reference which went against the defendants.

The New Governess—What are the comparative and superlative of bad, Berty?

Berty (the doctor's son)—Bad—worse—dead.

AMERICAN NEWS.

A Criminal Escapes From Jail in a Garbage Can.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., June 22.—At the inquest held yesterday afternoon upon the body of W. Kern Good, the evidence supported the theory that Good fell into the river from the International bridge, near Buffalo. In the judgment of witnesses the body had been in the water several months. The jury found a verdict accordingly. A talk with the insurance people pretty well established the fact that Kern Good carried $25,000 insurance at the time of his death, and that a policy of $7,000 had been dropped when he took out the $5,000 held at the time of his death.

Meadville, Pa., June 22.—A most remarkable escape from Meadville jail has just leaked out. Goldan Phillips got into a garbage can early in the evening and allowed himself to be covered with potato parings and other garbage. He remained in the can until morning, when he was carried out by two companions and dumped in the general garbage vat. He escaped and is still at large.

Detroit, Mich., June 22.—City Assessor Frederick E. Farnsworth was to-day sentenced to 30 days in jail for refusing to testify in the council boodle investigation.

A Delightful Trip.

Intending passengers should consider the advisability of making their journey to eastern points in Canada and the United States via the Great Northern Railway to Duluth and thence via the magnificent new passenger steamers Northwest and Northland of the Northern Steamship Company, which are now in commission and making semi-weekly trips between Duluth and Buffalo, calling at intermediate lake ports. By taking this route all dust and excessive heat are avoided and a charming trip through the most beautiful lake scenery is made in superb floating palaces on which no freight whatever is carried. For full particulars apply to H. Martin, 75 Government street, general agent of the Great Northern Railway.

SUNDAY IN CITY CHURCHES.

Where and How Victorians Will Worship To-Morrow.

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West.—Services at the usual hour. Rev. D. Macrae, pastor.

The Y. M. C. A. will unite in men's service at the Metropolitan Methodist church to-morrow afternoon. There will be no service at the rooms.

Theosophical Society, 28 Broad Street (Williams Block.)—Public meeting at 8:15 p.m. Subject: "The Astral Light."

Spring Ridge Methodist Sunday School, Belmont avenue and South road.—Opening services at 11a.m. Conductor Snider will speak at 2:30. Rev. Solomon Cleaver will preach, and in the evening Rev. J. Betts will preside.

Metropolitan Methodist Church—Sermon at 11 a.m. by Rev. S. Cleaver, and 7 p.m. by Conductor Snider. At 4 p.m. Conductor Snider will deliver an address to Men only. All men invited.

James Bay Methodist Church—Sermon at 11 a.m. by Rev. D. D. Birks, and at 7 p.m. by Rev. C. Bryant.

Emmanuel Baptist Church—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The pastor, the Rev. P. H. McEwen, will preach. Morning subject, "Watchfulness." Evening subject, "Word of Authority." Sunday school and pastor's Bible class at 2.30 p.m.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian, corner of Douglas and Broughton streets. Rev. W. L. Clay, pastor.—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday school and Bible class at 2:30 p.m. Rev. Mr. Winchester will occupy the pulpit in the evening.

Calvary Baptist Church. Rev. Ralph W. Trotter, pastor.—Morning service: It was announced that Rev. Mr. Proper, H. M. secretary, would preach. This has been changed. The pastor will preach. Subject: "Who is my neighbor?" Evening service: A memorial service for one of our little ones—"From affliction to glory." 2:30 p.m., Sunday school; 6:15 p.m., B. Y. P. U. prayer meeting. Monday at 8 p.m., young people's literary meeting. Thursday at 8 p.m., regular prayer meeting.

—All kinds of cutlery at Fox's.

"Was she ever married?"
"Once—on the South Dakota plan."
"What's that?"
"The divorce decree is printed on the back of the marriage certificate."

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[illegible] me, but to no purpose. I suffered in agony seven long years. Finally, I began taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. In a week or two I noticed a decided improvement. Encouraged by this result, I persevered, until in a month or so the sore began to heal, and, after using the Sarsaparilla for six months, the last trace of the cancer disappeared."—JAMES E. NICHOLSON, Florenceville, N. B.

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PERSONAL

J. H. Simpson is down from Nanaimo.

Geo. Powell returned from Vancouver last evening.

John Gibbon, jr., and wife, of Seattle, are at the Driard.

Major T. O. Townley and wife, of Vancouver, are in the city.

A. E. Macnaughton and wife returned from the Mainland last evening.

J. H. Todd and M. Strouss were passengers from Vancouver last evening.

Will F. Norris, of the Nanaimo Free Press, is here with the lacrosse team.

J. T. May, of the Dominion Express Company, Vancouver, and bride are in the city.

Mrs. J. Glaholm and children and Mrs. McGregor, of Nanaimo, are at the Driard.

J. O. Thompson, steamboat inspector, was a passenger from Vancouver last evening.

Mrs. Rolph and daughter, of Toronto, are at the Driard. They leave for San Francisco to-night.

H. F. Heisterman, who has been attending the meeting of the grand lodge A. F. and A. M. at Vancouver, returned last evening.

George Mesher, sr., has been confined to his house all week with a broken rib. Dr. Helmcken expects to have him out again next week.

T. de Larial, Paul Seippel and G. A. Boggs, Geneva, are at the Driard. They are on a trip around the world, leaving for the Orient by the Empress on Monday.

Mrs. Lawrence Williams, New York; Armistead Peter, jr., and wife, Washington, and James L. King, of New York, form a party of tourists registered at the Driard. They have just returned from Alaska and go east over the C. P. R. on Tuesday.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Charmer from Vancouver—T O Townley and wife, F J Wheeler, J D Hall, M Strouss, R H Benedict, A E Macnaughton and wife, J A Thomas, J H Todd, J H Clarke, R J Skinner, G Griffiths, F G Crickmay, N Lewis, Miss Macaulay, D M Reid, Mrs Reid, Rev Chang Sing Kai, Mrs R J Blackie, W L Chambers, C Charington, — McCrosky, H F Heisterman, Mr Potter, F Greame, George Powell, W Butler, E T Duyckink, wife and son, J F May and bride, H Symons, F Pichy, Mary Shearer, Julia E Ashley, Mrs Ralph and daughter.

Per City of Kingston from the Sound—B Miller, G R Roggi, C S Fell and wife, Miss L Wood, R J Randall, Mrs Grisch, H E Murphy and wife, Miss T Alexander, Miss B Wood, Dr. Muriel, F S Maclure, J D Lewis, Mrs McClusky, J F Merryman and wife, J Gibbon and wife, G Leippa, Miss J Morris, Jno Gallagher, Miss Thompson.

Per Steamer Rosalie from the Sound—C G Whitlock and wife, Miss Ross, H G Ross, F Swanson, Miss McKay, Wm Hawthorne.

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